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Saturday Morning..........Jan. 30, 1858.

The Plot Thickens.

News from Washington gives alarming indications of the determination of the Administration to force the Lecompton Constitution through Congress. The Republicans, assisted by their allies from the Democracy, are making ready for the terrible struggle that must ensue. We warn every member from Illinois, that he must be at his post. No compromise, no concession, no quarter—nothing but Justice for the people of Kansas—Justice for the present and security for the future. That's the rallying cry. Now every man to his gun!

A New Reason for Getting an Office.

MARTIN JENNINGS is a candidate for Constable of the Fourth Ward. His friends set forth the following reasons why the tax-eaters should support him, which we copy from the *Times*:

"We know Mr. Jennings since he came to Chicago to be an unwavering Democrat, and has manifested the same at the last exciting elections, notwithstanding the large family who look up to him and his honest industry for support."

It would seem from this that his Democracy was so ardent that he neglected his "large family who look up to him for support" to spend his time in brawling for border ruffianism. He now wants to be pensioned upon the people. But he is just like nine-tenths of the demagogues of his party.

Rumored Frauds—Look Out.

It is rumored that a secret judicial tribunal has been opened at the "Democratic Head Quarters" in Randolph street, for the purpose of issuing naturalization papers. It is said that a clerk, or deputy clerk, of one of the courts, has had printed a couple of reams of blanks and is filling them up for every fellow who applies. This matter should be looked into, and if the rumor is true, steps should be taken to stop this fraud. Let us have no Oxford or Kickapoo manufactory of voters in Chicago. There was enough of that done when DYER was elected, to last for twenty years. It would be an easy matter to transform five or six hundred newly imported "Greeks" into "voting cattle," through the agency of a dishonest court clerk, acting in secret. Those bogus papers would be used on election day to let in that many spurious votes in the close or doubtful wards, and thus defraud the legal voters of their rights.

The Democratic Programme To day.

The delegates to the tax-eaters' Convention will be chosen this afternoon,—we mean *announced*, as they are already chosen. The whole thing has been cut and dried beforehand.

The list of delegates has all been made out, and the tickets printed; the hard fisted have been sold to the Know-Nothings. It was one of the stipulations between the Democratic Association and the Know-Nothing Grand Lodge, that, if the latter joined the Democracy, the foreigners were to be crowded out of the trough; that no more "respectable" or fat offices were to be given to them. The Silk Stockings are carrying out this agreement with their new allies.

Reliable private information satisfies us that the preparations have been made to *bow string* ISAAC COOK, Esq., for Mayor. The objection to COOK is, that he is popular with the Irish Democracy, and what the "Silk Stockings" call the "rag tag." Yesterday we thought COOK stood a fair chance of the nomination. But a better knowledge of the machinery in motion, convinces us that the cards have been stocked upon him. We apprehend that his cake is dough. The Irish will not get a squint at the promised land. COOK will first be bowed out, and then will come the tug of war between Dr. BRAINARD and S. S. HAYES. A hard fight may be anticipated; it is thought that the "great medicine" man has the inside track of "Sassafras," as the *Times* calls him. But should their contest endanger the harmony and unity of the Silk Stockings, it is intended to bring forward a whiskey distiller named KEITH, as a "high-wine" compromise. It is argued that his nomination would conciliate the Irish, who will feel sore over the treatment they are about to receive at the hands of the "Silks." A barrel of *free* whiskey left at each rum hole would bring the Irish up to the support of the whole ticket. But our private opinion is, that Mr. KEITH will not get a sight at the nomination, nor the Celts at his free whiskey; but that BRAINARD will be the man. The Germans being a more independent race, and readier to resent a slight or insult upon their equality than the Hibernians, will get a couple of places on the ticket.

A shyster by the name of WEIHE is to be nominated for City Attorney. He distinguished himself when DYER was elected, by heading a drunken rabble who attempted to rob the *Staats Zeitung* office. A brother-in-law of GREENEBAUM, named FOREMAN, is to be the man for City Collector. This is done to secure the tremendous (?) GREENEBAUM influence.

Material of which Republicans are Made.

We print this morning a remarkable letter from an IRISHMAN, wherein he describes the proceedings of the German Republican Club of Ward X. He is enthusiastic. He addresses us as if we were Chairman of a National Convention or Speaker of the House of Representatives; but under his magnificent manner, there is good meat. He is in earnest, and we doubt not he is honest. The sight of these industrious Germans, away down there in the Tenth Ward, getting together in a political club room with their text books, newspapers and pamphlets, to learn the English language and their political duties at the same time, touches him in a tender spot. We can tell our Irish friend that he has got a great deal to learn of the Germans and the German character. In a dozen other club rooms of this city, he will find the same things occurring which he witnessed in the Tenth Ward. Three fourths of the Germans have cut loose from the Bogus Democracy, simply because in the progress of their Americanization they have learned how mean and false Democratic professions are. Four-fifths of the Germans in Chicago who can read English are Republicans—strong, earnest, zealous Republicans. Nine tenths of the Germans who can read no language whatever, vote with the African party. Now here are facts upon which our patriotic Irishman can act: Let him organize himself into a Missionary Society and commence apostolical labor among his countrymen, and as fast as he can teach them to read and write, he will be emancipating them from the bonds in which they are held by the priesthood and "the party." The Germans are fraternizing more and more closely with people to the manor born. They are exchanging and interchanging affinities, sympathies, ideas; and in a quarter of a century they will be a harmonious people. Let our Irish friend commence his labor at once, and see what will come of it.

A Democratic Speaker and a Know Nothing Clerk.

The demoralization of the Democratic Party, by a process which commenced a fortnight ago, was completed yesterday, by the election of Mr. Alvord (Democrat) Speaker, and Mr. Wilson (Know Nothing) Clerk; after which, according to the programme, a Democratic Sergeant-at-Arms and Know Nothing Door Keeper were chosen, leaving a dozen subordinate places to be wrangled for by a hundred hungry expectants.—*Albany Journal.*

John C. Haines and the Chicago Times.

For two weeks past the *Times* has kept standing a list of names, foreign and native, Whig and Democrat, appended to an old Naturalization petition, sent to Congress nearly a year before the Harrison campaign of '40. It singles out the name of J. C. HAINES, and publishes it as JOHN C. HAINES, in large type.

The *Times* also charges Mr. HAINES with having voted for high license, some five years ago, while a member of the Council. The object is to *head him off* from being the Republican candidate for Mayor next March. It is a game of bluff. Now, it so happens that last May, only eight or nine months ago, when Mr. HAINES was a candidate for the important and responsible office of Water Commissioner, this same *Times* came out in an editorial praising him very highly, and certifying that he was so free of *isms* that the editor intended to vote for him. We publish the article in question, not for the purpose of aiding the nomination of Mr. H., because we believe that there are other men in the Republican ranks equally as available, but to show up the inconsistency of the *Times*, and to make it testify against the objection it now raises. Out of his own mouth he is condemned. Here is the article:

Mr. John C. Haines.

[From the Chicago Times, May 5, 1857.]

"An election takes place to day for Water Commissioner, an office of great importance to the public. The contestants are Messrs. JOHN C. HAINES, SANFORD JOHNSON and H. P. MOSES. These gentlemen are all possibly fit personally for the office. They are all objectionable politically, but as in virtue and crime there are degrees, so even among Republicans there are those not quite so lost as others. Without saying anything as to Messrs. MOSES and JOHNSON, allowing each of our readers to form their own opinion of them, we, for many reasons of a political character, *prefer* Mr. HAINES. He is less objectionable than his competitors, and if any Democrat goes to the polls to-day, *we hope he will vote for* Mr. HAINES. *We intend to vote for him* as against his two competitors, and, so far as any of our readers may wish our advice, we *urge them to do likewise.* When you have to vote for a Republican at all, vote for the *one least tainted* with isms. We believe Mr. HAINES to be preferable, in *several particulars*, to his Republican competitors.

"The polls will be held at the same place as the March election, and the inspectors are the same as those who served at that interesting period of the history of Chicago."

The Illinois Banks.

A statement of the condition of the Illinois Banks furnished the Springfield *Journal*, by the Auditor, for the quarter ending January 1st, shows the value of securities deposited for all the banks of the State to be, $6,161,255, against $5,238,930 circulation—excess of securities $942,325.

The Auditor is redeeming the notes of the Rushville Bank and Bank of Rockford at par, the Peoples' Bank at 94, and the Stock Security Bank at 87½. The Bank of Illinois, Tucker's Exchange Bank, Merchants' and Mechanics' Bank, and DuPage County Bank, have gone into voluntary liquidation, and their paper is redeemed at par. The Union, Farmers', Phoenix and City banks of Chicago, and Mechanics' and Farmers' Bank of Springfield, have been wound up, the time for the redemption of their paper has expired, under the law, and any such now outstanding is worthless.

☞ The banks of New York city hold in their vaults at present thirty-two millions of gold. The Bank of England holds fifty-seven millions, and the Bank of France about forty millions. When this gold is called out for mercantile use the times will get easier.

ALVIN SALISBURY, well known as the bitterest and most proscriptive Know Nothing in the West Division, is out in the Chicago *Times* as a candidate before the Democratic Convention, for Street Commissioner. ALVIN is one of the recruits which the tax eaters boast of having picked up when they were taking the census. He is now a candidate before them for an office. He says that the fight is between the Irish and the Germans, and that he goes for the votes of the Celts. The fusion of the Irish and Know Nothings is complete.

ILLINOIS MATTERS.

SHOCKING DEATH.—On Wednesday afternoon a respectable German named John Kaster, who was in the employ of Mr. R. Vredenburgh, a lime dealer of this place, came to his end in a sudden and shocking manner. He had gone across the river after a load of hoop poles, and was returning with his load, when, in going down a hill, some part of the harness on the horses he was driving, gave way and in attempting to jump off the wagon, he was caught between one of the wheels and a tree, his head most horribly crushed, and his back broken, which of course produced instant death.—*Peoria Transcript.*

A SAD AFFAIR.—Last evening, about eight o'clock, a young woman arrived at the Pennsylvania House, and asked for shelter for the night. She gave her name as Mrs. Bennett, and said that she came from Keokuk. She complained of being unwell, and retired to her chamber. This morning she was found dead in her bed, with a bottle of morphine near her. She had committed suicide. We have seldom looked upon a more sad and mournful spectacle. She was undressed and in bed. It appeared that she had vomited from the effects, perhaps of the morphine. Her hands—and they were small and white—lay upon her breast. She wore a ring upon the middle finger of her left hand. Her face and hands were somewhat discolored. She confessed to Dr. Fitzpatrick last evening, that she was one of those poor, fallen, unfortunate creatures—an outcast from the world.—*Quincy Whig.*

....A wood pile belonging to Mr. Johnson, of Ellesville, was discovered to be on fire a few days ago. The fire was soon extinguished. A short time after a daughter of Mr. Johnson, about four years of age, was found to be missing. In searching for her, one of her feet was discovered, under the wood pile. On throwing off the wood, she was found burnt to death. It is supposed that she was playing with matches, and the wood fell upon her, and became ignited from the matches.

....A circular wolf hunt took place on Thursday week, in the upper part of LaSalle county. Five wolves were brought into the ring, but only two of them were captured. Another hunt is to take place in the southwest part of Grundy county, on Wednesday.

....On Sunday of last week, a little daughter of Mr. Allen Travis, residing a few miles east of Decatur, fell into a kettle of boiling lard, which was standing in the yard, and before she was discovered and taken out, was quite dead.

A STARVING WOMAN.—A lady passing down Broadway, near Fourteenth street, a few days since, when opposite a butcher's stand, was startled by the excited appearance of an intelligent looking woman rushing toward her, with clasped hands and a look of despair, exclaiming "I am hungry, I am hungry!" Stepping inside the store the lady procured for her some potatoes and a piece of meat; she put it to her lips and *ate it to the bone*, then saying, "I must take this home to Eddie," rushed wildly from the store, leaving the salesman and the lady astounded. Incredible as this seems, we have every reason to believe it true.—*N. Y. Times.*

SENATOR DOUGLAS A LOUISIANA PLANTER.—The Baton Rouge *Gazette* says that Mr. Douglas has entered into a planting partnership with a gentleman of Baton Rouge, and that the negroes from his Mississippi plantation, recently sold, are to be transferred to that State.

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—The steamship Canada from Liverpool, via Halifax arrived here shortly after 2 o'clock P. M. Her mails were put on board the P. M. train, and will be due in New York about 12 o'clock to-night.

CITY ITEMS.

BOUQUETS.—Thanks to Messrs. Gage, Brother & Drake, of the Tremont House, for two beautiful bouquets, all the way from Cincinnati.

MISSION SCHOOL FESTIVAL.—There will be a festival for the children connected with the Indiana street Mission Sabbath School this (Saturday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock, at the industrial school room, No. 53 Indiana street, above Market street. The friends of this enterprise are invited to attend.

DISHONEST SERVANT.—Chief Beck, of the Milwaukee police, yesterday brought Martha Mary Jenks to this city, to answer to a charge of larceny. In November last, it is charged, she stole clothing from her employer, Mr. James Christie, to the amount of $34. She was brought before the Police Court and committed for trial in default of $500 bail.

SWEDENBORGIAN LECTURE.—The admirers of Swedenborg and those who wish to unravel the mysteries of that creed known as Swedenborgianism, are respectfully informed that John White, Esq., of this city, proposes to deliver the first of a course of popular lectures on the above subject, on Sunday next, at 10½ o'clock, in Bryant & Stratton's hall, 48 Clark street. Mr. W. has long been a student of that philosophy, and will, in all probability, do the eminent Swedenborg ample justice.

IMPORTANT LAW SUIT.—The trial of the case of Rees, Waller and others vs. Bennett, Stow and others, and Bennett vs. Rees, Waller & Stow, was commenced before Hon. John W. Wilson on Monday last. This case involves the title to eighty acres of land, in section 30, in this city, worth over half a million dollars. Messrs. Waller & Caulfield and Arnold & Larned appear for Rees and others; Messrs. Blackwell & Windet for Stow; Messrs. Sedgwick & Walker, Stuart & Van Arman for Bennett.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.—The following acknowledgments are made by Metamora Engine Company, No. 2:

MESSRS. WALKER & BOGERS,—Gentlemen:—We gratefully acknowledge your liberal donation of one hundred dollars to Metamora Engine Company, No. 2, for services done at the late conflagration on Market street. In behalf of the Company,
S. L. WAGONSEGGER, Foreman.

At a special meeting of the above Company, held at their house, January 27, 1858, a unanimous vote of thanks was given to C. P. Bradley, ex-chief engineer of the Chicago Fire Department, and L. P. Gerber, for their valuable services at the pipe of this Company, at the above-mentioned fire, in saving the property of our fellow citizens.
E. FLAMMES, Secretary.

DIOCESAN REMOVALS.—The Chicago *Record* for February says:—"Rev. Lyman N. Freeman of this Diocese has removed to Kalamazoo, Michigan, and takes charge of St. Luke's Church in that village. That's a step backwards; from Illinois to Michigan. We are sorry that so efficient a laborer as Mr. Freeman, could not have been retained in the Diocese. Rev. Dudley Chase, of Chicago, has gone to Ohio—that's two steps backward. Why will the clergy turn their footsteps to the Eastward, when the centres of population and of power are advancing towards the setting sun every year? Rev. Mr. Alvert, of Batavia, has received a call to Texas, and intends removing in the spring. That's a little better, but still why desert "the model Diocese" for the swamps and rattlesnakes of Texas? Rev. Mr. Waterbury has left Sycamore to operate in a new field at Elgin. We trust he may be as successful in building a church there as in all the other points he has labored in heretofore."

IMPOSITION OF THE GAS COMPANY.—*Editor, Tribune*:—Allow me to premise that I never swear; I repeat it, I never indulge in profanity of any kind; but under present circumstances I feel more than ordinary need of Christian resignation. Allow me to explain. I called this morning at the office of the Gas Company to inform that Institution that I wished to extend my patronage to it, and was very civilly told that before I could become one of their customers and be permitted to purchase their commodity, I must deposit with the Company ten dollars, to remain in their use and possession so long as I continued to use their gas. I objected to this, whereupon I was civilly informed that I might act my own pleasure in the matter, if I did not choose to leave the deposit with them, I might do without light—but I must leave it in order to get the gas, and that too, without interest, or without being permitted to apply it toward the payment of any bill that might accrue, and must also pay bills monthly. Now I do not object to payment of all bills for which I become indebted, nor to giving proper assurance to strangers that I will do so; but this deposit business I consider a shameful imposition, and deserving of the condemnation of the public and the press generally. Viewing it as I do, let me ask a few questions, which are of importance to all using the company's gas; questions which the company are bound to answer like honest men, if such they be?

Does their charter give them the privilege of borrowing money, per force, of their customers either with or without interest?

Does it authorize them to conduct a general broker's shaving business?—or

Does it authorize them to receive deposits?—if so have they deposited securities with the Auditor for the redemption of their notes or pledges? or are they another "Wild Cat" concern, who may receive from say five thousand consumer, ten dollars each—$50,000 to use and abuse as a corporation monopoly without security, and perhaps repudiate the payment of the same at pleasure?—or

Is it honest to take payment for an article in advance and demand additional payment for the same thing on the delivery of it?

If they wish to secure themselves against loss, why not receive a deposit, to be consumed in gas, if the party wishes the amount, and give notice that an additional deposit is required when that is consumed. This would have some show of honesty, to say the least. CITIZEN.

STORE ROBBER ARRESTED.—Late on Thursday night, C. P. Bradley arrested a young man named James J. Porter *alias* George Dunbar, for robbing the upholstery store of Messrs. Whitney, Lyon & Co., in Randolph street. For the past year, until some two months ago, Porter was a clerk in the store. Porter, after determining to rob the store, made a confidant of a young man who knew the clerks and explained the plan. Porter told his confidant that they would go to the store in the evening, after business hours, and ask the clerks out to get some lager beer. They were then to return to the store and after sitting awhile the confidant was to ask them to drink a second time. Porter was to decline on the plea of being unwell and said that as the clerks had confidence in him they would leave him in the store until their return. While they were absent Porter was to put a lot of valuable lace curtains in a carpet bag which was to be left in the alley for that purpose and afterwards the bag could be readily removed.

Porter's confidant exposed the scheme to Messrs. Whitney, Lyon & Co., and they consulted Capt. Bradley in the matter. It was decided that Porter should be permitted to carry out his plan and the confidant was instructed not to touch any goods in the store but to let Porter do all the stealing. Porter finally fixed upon last Thursday evening as the time to carry out the plan.

On that evening Capt. Bradley had the store watched and Porter carefully shadowed. The clerks were also instructed to go and drink as often as invited. Porter's plan worked well enough so far as committing the robbery, but afterwards it was badly interrupted. After the return of the clerks Porter and his confidant left the store and went round to the alley. Porter sent the confidant into the alley to get the bag, but the latter returned without it, saying he could not find it. Porter then got the bag, and just as he reached the street, was nabbed Capt. by Bradley and placed in jail.

Porter is about twenty years of age, and his parents, highly respectable people, reside in Boston. Soon after leaving the employ of Messrs. Whitney, Lyon & Co., he formed a plan for robbing the machine shop of Mr. Steinhaus, in Holstein. In this robbery, as in the other, he made a confidant of one of his associates, who, in turn, informed Steinhaus of the projected robbery, the manner in which it would be done and the night appointed. Mr. S. accordingly watched and caught Porter. The latter begged that he would let him off, pleading that it was his first offence. Steinhaus, touched by his intercessions, after a severe reprimand and some words of advice, let him go.

ANOTHER FIREMEN'S MEETING.

CANDIDATES NOMINATED.

Last evening, pursuant to announcement, the members of the Fire Department who bolted from the meeting at South Market Hall on Thursday, met in North Market Hall for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices of Chief and Assistant Engineers.

The following companies took part in the meeting:

Hook and Ladder Companies Nos. 1 and 3.

Hose Companies Nos. 1, 3, 4 and 6.

Engine Companies Nos. 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12 and 13.

Mr. F. A. Bragg called the meeting to order, and Mr. J. T. Edwards was unanimously elected chairman.

Messrs. D. Knight, A. Burnam and J. L. Gerber were elected Judges of Election.

Messrs. P. P. Wood, J. C. Wild and E. A. Webber were elected Clerks of Election.

Mr. Bragg moved that the firemen vote by the company rolls; that each foreman call the names of his men, and that each one vote as his name is called. Carried.

Mr. L. Nichols moved that Mr. U. P. Harris be nominated for Chief Engineer by acclamation. Lost.

On motion, the meeting proceeded to ballot, with the following result:

CHIEF ENGINEER.

D. J. Swenie	[illegible]
U. P. Harris	[illegible]
Peter Casey	[illegible]
Total vote	[illegible]

1ST ASSISTANT ENGINEER.

L. Walters	[illegible]
H. W. Powell	[illegible]
John Reese	[illegible]
Total vote	[illegible]

2D ASSISTANT ENGINEER.

H. W. Powell	[illegible]
Jacob Reald	[illegible]
Brattring	[illegible]
Total vote	[illegible]

Messrs. Sweenie, Walters and Powell were declared unanimously nominated.

Speeches were made by Messrs. Sweenie, Powell, Egan and others and the meeting adjourned.

Aside from the conduct, towards the close, of some member of companies not represented, the meeting was very orderly, and everything progressed smoothly and satisfactorily.

The companies which declined to take part in the meeting are:

Hook and Ladder Company No. 2.

Hose Companies Nos. 2 and 5.

Engine Companies Nos. 2, 4, 10 and 14.

Sixteen companies were represented and seven not represented.

The Department numbers about eight hundred men, of whom only three hundred were at the meeting.

There will probably be two sets of candidates nominated by the firemen and a movement is on foot to nominate a citizen's ticket.

THE CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMMUNION.—The Chicago *Record* for February says: "We are glad to hear that this new and vigorous church has been tendered the free use of Old St. James' Church for the present, by the vestry of that parish. Services were held there for the first time on the 24th of January. This is just as it should be—and all that is necessary to be done to make the tender "a handsome thing" is to make the terms of it a "free gift," instead of a "free use." And in fact we hope it may be yet. St. James' will not feel the loss of the few thousands the old building is worth, and the very fact of the donation will be a tower of strength to them in a moral way. The devoted of the Holy Communion is gaining in the estimation of our citizens every day, by his faithful work, and is gathering about him hosts of good and zealous men. The Church which has always been the strongest religious body on the North side will now be stronger than ever."

THE MASONIC BALL.—The Masonic Ball at the Tremont House on Thursday evening, given by Cleveland Lodge, was the most successful of the season. The rooms were crowded with the beauty and gallantry of the city, and the delighted company did not seperate until a late hour.

The supper was the best ever spread in our city, and John Drake fairly outdid himself. Everything, in and out of season, was provided in abundance, and the tables were elegantly ornamented with Masonic emblems, in sugar, and with bouquets from the hot-houses of Cincinnati.

TO THE MILLION.—Prof. Wood, of St. Louis, has, after years of deep study and untiring research, succeeded in presenting to the public an article superior to any now in use, and indeed it is truly a wonderful discovery; we advert to his Hair Restorative—the only article that has been completely successful in cheating Age of his gray locks, removing dandruff, itching, scrofula, &c. It restores the gray-headed to more than the original beauty; adds new lustre to locks already luxuriant; having the effect on coarse, harsh hair to render it glossy and wavy; fastens, permanently, hair that is loose or falling, and many other qualities which will become known as soon as used. The pride of mankind is singularly developed in the keeping and arrangement of the hair—perhaps from the fact that it is the only portion of the human body that we can train in any way we choose; how important, then, having this portion left to our care, that we should use all the means science has placed in our hands to render it beautiful and permanent. If you would have beautiful hair, hair with its natural color elegantly preserved to an extreme old age, don't fail to purchase Wood's Hair Restorative.—[Daily Iowa State Gazette.

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RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

☞ Lecture on the Revolution now in Progress in the Religious and Scientific Mind of the Present Age, showing its Results in the Elevation of our Secular Life. The first of the course will be given at College Hall, No. 48 Clark street, to-morrow morning, at 10½ o'clock, by John White, Esq. For synopsis of Lecture, see printed circulars.

☞ Services of the Church of the Ascension (Episcopal) every Sunday, at 10½ A. M., and 7 P. M., at the corner of Dearborn and Ontario streets. Sunday School at 9½ A. M. Seats free. Rev. J. W. Cracraft, Rector.

☞ English Lutheran Church, south-west corner of Clark and Washington streets (building formerly occupied by the First Presbyterian congregation). Services Sunday at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Sabbath School will be opened at 2½ o'clock P. M. Rev. T. W. Kemp, pastor.

☞ Rev. H. N. Bishop will officiate at St. John's Church at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Sunday.

☞ Rev. Mr. Hibbard's fourth Lecture on Swedenborgianism will be given at the New Jerusalem Temple, on Harrison street, to-morrow (Sabbath) evening, at 7½ o'clock. Subject—"The Objections to the Supreme Divinity of the Lord Jesus Christ Considered."

☞ Second Reformed Protestant Dutch Church, corner of Monroe and Sangamon streets, Rev. J. M. Ferris, Pastor. Services every Sabbath, at 10½ o'clock A. M. and at 3 P. M.

SPIRITUALISM.—S. B. Brittan, of New York, will address the friends of the above cause, and all others who desire to learn something of its philosophy, at Metropolitan Hall, to-morrow, at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M. Everybody invited, and seats free.

☞ There will be divine services in the Church of the Atonement, corner of Washington and Peoria streets, on Sunday, at 10½ A. M. and at 3 P. M.

☞ Religious services will be held in the Berean Baptist Church on Jackson street, between Halsted and Desplaines streets, to-morrow, at 10½ A. M. and 3 P. M. Subject in the morning, "Rev. vals." In the afternoon Rev. A. Kenyon will preach the funeral sermon of Mr. Gilderoy McArthur, formerly a resident of this city. His former acquaintances and friends are invited to attend.

☞ The Free Church of the Holy Communion, Rev. H. N. Whipple, Rector, have taken the old Church of St. James, and will hereafter hold service every Sunday, at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M. All seats free. Sunday School at 12½ o'clock.

NEW ST. JAMES' CHURCH.—There will be service in this church to-morrow, at 10½ A. M. and 3 P. M.

☞ The Sabbath services of the New England Church, corner of Indiana and Wolcott streets, are held at 10½ A. M. and 3 P. M.

MARRIED.

January 28th, by Rev. Harvey L. Curtiss, F. J. BALLOU, of this city, and JENNIE F. HECKLE, of Boston.

DIED.

In this city, on the 29th inst., THOMAS D. WILSON, only son of D. F. and O. Wilson, aged 19 years.

The funeral services will be held at the residence of the family on Judd street, between Clinton and Jefferson sts., West Division, on Sunday, the 31st inst., at 1 o'clock P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

Suddenly, on Thursday night, 28th inst., Mrs. EUNICE J. HAMMOND, wife of Rev. H. L. Hammond, aged 31 years. The funeral will be attended this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from the First Congregational Church.

HOPS! HOPS!—EASTERN AND WESTERN Hops, by the bale, or in pound packages, for sale by SAWYER, PAIGE & CO., Wholesale Druggists, 70 Lake st.

COMMERCIAL.

CHICAGO WHOLESALE MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE CHICAGO DAILY TRIBUNE, Thursday Evening, Jan. 29, 1858.

Produce of all kinds is so low in the eastern markets, that there is no disposition to ship anything from the West. Exchange on New York is scarce in consequence, and must be so till eastern prices improve. It is firm to-day at 3c, and Bankers only sell at this to customers, though some was bought outside at 2½c premium. Some little Canada currency is coming in, and held at 2c premium, but sells only at 1½c; gold is readily obtained with this currency.

An improvement in trade and business generally is confidently looked for soon—by May, it is quite probable an active state of trade will be seen in Chicago, but prices of most kinds of Produce must rule low. The trade in most articles now is quite small—little but a retail trade. In Pork, however, the trade was never so large in Chicago at this season of the year as it has been this week; several buyers here have purchased as high as 1,000 head of hogs each during the week; and sales of barreled Pork and Lard have also been large.

Capt. Ward's rolling mill, it is understood, goes into operation next week, giving employment to a great number of men, and causing a circulation of money. The mild weather which enables railroads to carry large quantities of Produce east, is also filling the return trains with numerous families which the hard times is driving to a home here in the West. Lake Michigan continues as open to navigation as in summer, and the schooner Mt. Vernon, which arrived with a cargo of wood, is fitted out with provisions to return to-morrow to Kalamazoo, on the east shore.

RECEIPTS by rail of principal articles yesterday, [illegible] were 1,396 bbls flour; 12,473 bu wheat; [illegible] bus corn; [illegible] bus oats; 1,541 bu barley; 10 bu rye; 134 bu potatoes; [illegible] 404 lbs hides; 10,440 lbs provisions; 1,8 cattle; 2750 dressed and 2,263 live hogs. The receipts of hogs are likely to continue large for a time, induced by the high price paid here and active market of last few days. Farmers agree that a large quantity of wheat remains to be forwarded, but so long as present bad roads continue, receipts of Produce must be light.

FLOUR.—Except a sale of 200 bbls inferior spring at $2.75; and a small city trade, nothing was noted to-day.

WHEAT.—A little spring was sold early at 55½ in store; on 'change a few cars and 3,000 bus sold at 55c, bu. this afternoon only 54c was offered, but none bought; 500 bu extra brought 56½ this morning; 200 bu do at 57½ delivered.

CORN.—New, 30c ℔ 60 lbs on track, and none offered; 3,000 bus offered at 35c for next week's delivery.

OATS.—Sale of a car of 400 bu at 22c in store.

BARLEY.—No prospect of improvement; stock enough here for two months' consumption, and plenty back in the country.

BUTTER.—Sale of four bbls (800 lbs) common roll at 11c, and eleven bbls do (2,500 lbs) at 11½c ℔ lb. A superior article worth a little more, but dull.

LARD.—Sale of 100 bbls city rendered, this morning at 8c; for 100 bbls more, 8c refused, 8½c asked. Not many buyers on the market, and those hold off, but a week or so will probably show an advance on present rates.

MESS PORK.—Sales of 50 bbls at $13; and 200 bbls at $12.75. Holders are firm, though some Milwaukee packed was offered on the market here, the hogs for which had been bought in this market.

PICKLED HAMS.—About 40 tcs sold to-day on private terms. They seemed to be in a bad pickle.

DRESSED HOGS.—Market firm; sale to a Buffalonian of 210 head in three lots at $4 3½ for light, and $4.75 for heavy, dividing on 170 lbs.

LIVE HOGS.—A very active day, and we note sales below of near 2,000 head of heavy hogs, at very high rates—one city packer bought about 700 head; they sold as follows:

40 head averaging	222 lbs	at	$3 60	live weight.	
224	do	282	do	3 88	do
45	do	246	do	3 90	do
227	do	270	do	3 90	do
60	do	266	do	3 90	do
150	do	285	do	3 90	do
97	do	280	do	3 90	do
94	do	301	do	3 92½	do
250 head in 3 lots at				3 92	do
296 do averaging		295	do	4 00	do
57	do	274	do	4 00	do
25	do	275	do	4 18	do

200 head sold at $4.75 from the books, to be slaughtered here, or about $5.95, gross, weighing about 125@130 lbs, nett. A few hundred heavy hogs are left over, for which $4, gross, is asked, or $5, nett, and $4.75 offered.

CATTLE.—Sale of 14 head, averaging 1,000 lbs, at $2.75 live weight, and 10 cattle, averaging 1,417 lbs at $3.50.

BEANS.—Dull; 50@75c ℔ bu.

SUGARS AND MOLASSES.—N. O. sugar to the trade 5¾@6c; clarified 6½@7½c; to the retail 5½@7c for fair to prime; N. O. clarified 7¼@8c; N. Y. crushed, powdered and granulated 10½c. In New York a decline of ½@¾c has recently taken place in this grade. Plantation molasses 30c to trade, 34c ℔ single bbl; syrups 45@55c.

HIGHWINES.—Firm at 10c ℔ gallon.

EGGS.—Fresh 10c ℔ dozen, and slow. Limed, no sale.

POULTRY.—Dressed Chickens 7@8c ℔ lb; Turkeys 8@10c ℔ lb.

BEEF.—Dressed $2@$3 ℔ 100 lbs.

TALLOW.—10c ℔ lb.

SEEDS.—Timothy $1.50@1.62½ ℔ bu; Clover $5; Flax 65@68c.

HIDES.—Dull; green 3½@4c; green salted 5@5½c; dry flint 7@8c.

POTATOES.—30@35c ℔ bu.

FRUIT.—Green Apples $2.50@3.00. Cranberries $8.50@9.00 ℔ bbl. Dried Apples 7@8c ℔ lb; do Peaches, unpared, 9@11c ℔ lb; pared 17@18c. M. R. raisins $3.25; Layers $3.25; Malaga Figs 10@12c ℔ lb in drums.

CHEESE.—For Ohio and New York 9@11c—mostly at 10c, and 9 is for inferior.

SMOKED MEAT.—Hams 9@10c by the quantity, the latter for 1st class city sugar cured.

☞ The following shows the export of breadstuffs and provisions from New York the past week, compared with the corresponding week last year:

	1857.	1858.
Flour, bbls	19,986	42,352
Wheat, bu	44,246	58,501
Corn, bu	19,356	37,181
Beef, bbls	158	1,501
Pork, bbls	875	2,851

The exports to England and Scotland alone, during the week, were 23,000 bbls flour; 26,000 bu wheat; 20,000 bu corn; 1,201 bbls beef, and 1,100 bbls pork. All this is a large increase over last year, and shows, when it is remembered that the same time of the previous weeks of the present year, that there is an increased and growing demand in Great Britain for our products. In addition to this, there are symptoms of the same kind with the West Indies and South America; the exports of the past week to these regions being quite large against those the corresponding week last year.—[Buffalo Com. Adv.

New York Market—Jan. 29.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

FLOUR—Market dull and heavy, and rather easier; sales 4,800 bbls at $4@4.15 for inferior superfine state; $4.20@4.30 for common to choice do; $4.40@4.55 for extra do; $4.20@4.30 for superfine western; $4.40@4.95 for common to medium ext a western, and $4.95@4.95 for round hoop extra Ohio—market closing dull.

CANADIAN FLOUR—Lower; sales 1,300 bbls at $4.10@4.25 for superfine, and $4.60@6 for inferior to choice extra.

RYE FLOUR—Dull at $3@4.

WHEAT—There is nothing of moment doing, and prices are entirely nominal at $1@1,02 for Chicago spring; $1.05@1,06 for Milwaukee club; a reported large sale of Chicago spring at 90c for June and July delivery is untrue.

RYE—Quiet at 70@73c delivered.

BARLEY—Steady at 70@75c; sales 2,000 bu of prime four rowed state at 75c delivered.

CORN—Market dull and in favor of buyers; old mixed western nominal at 71c; sales 7,100 bu new southern at 65@67½c.

OATS—Dull and heavy; 42@44c for state, and 45@46c for western.

WHISKY—Unchanged; demand moderate; sales 300 bbls at 21½c.

PORK—Market dull and heavy, and unsettled; sales 450 bbls at $15@15.25 for mess; $14.50@14.75 for prime mess. $11.90@12.25 for prime also; sales 500 bbls mess for June delivery at $14.50—closing dull at the inside price.

BEEF—In beef there is no change; sales 300 bbls at $6@7 for country prime; $9@10 for country mess; $10.50@13 for repacked mess; $13.25@14 for extra do.

BEEF HAMS—Firmer; sales 150 bbls at $15@17 for prime.

MESS BEEF—Steady; sales 300 tierces Chicago at $19.

CUT MEATS—Heavy; sales 77 hhds at 6c for shoulders, and 8½c for hams.

DRESSED HOGS—Firmer; sales at 6¾@6⅞c.

BACON—Firm; sales 100 boxes short ribbed city cut middles at 8½.

LARD—Buoyant; sales 300 bbls at 9@9⅛c; 900 kegs at 10½@10¾, and 700 bbls to arrive at 7¾.

BUTTER—In good demand at 11@15c for Ohio, and 13@21c for state.

CHEESE—Steady at 6@8c.

Exchange Quotations.

BANKING HOUSE OF R. K. WILLARD & YOUNG, No. 74 Dearborn Street, Chicago, Jan. 29.

The following are the current quotations of this date:

Gold	buying 2½ per cent	selling 3 ℔ cent.
New York Exchange	" 2½ "	" 3 @ 3½ "
New American Silver	" 1 "	" 3 "
New York State	2½ p. c. premium.	
New England (except Rhode Island)	2½ p. c. premium.	
Rhode Island	2½ p. c. premium.	
New Jersey	2½ p. c. premium@par	
Philadelphia	2½ p. c. premium.	
Pennsylvania	Par.	
Baltimore	Par.	
Maryland	Par @ 5 p. c. discount.	
Virginia	1 p. c. discount.	
North Carolina	3 p. c. discount.	
South Carolina	2 p. c. discount.	
Georgia	Par @ 5 p. c. discount.	
Alabama	10 p. c. discount.	
Louisiana	1½ p. c. premium.	
Missouri	½ p. c. premium.	
Ohio, Kentucky and Indiana (except Free Indiana)	1½ p. c. premium.	
Tennessee	10@15 p. c. discount.	
Canada	1½ p. c. premium.	
Free Indiana	½ p. c premium.	

Illinois currency is taken as the standard, at par value.

New York Stock Market—Jan. 29.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

The Second Board of Stocks was steady.

Missouri 6s	84¾	Chicago & Rock Island	87
Ohio 6's	10[illegible]	New York Central	71⅞
North Carolina 6's	93¾	Cleveland & Toledo	[illegible]
N. Y. State 5's of '73	114½	Erie	[illegible]
Ill Cent'l bonds	74¾	Harlem	[illegible]
Harlem 1st mortgage	75¾	Mich Central	[illegible]
La Crosse & Mil. grants	44¾	Panama	[illegible]
Erie 2d mort	90¾	Ill. Cent. R. R.	96
Erie 3d	75	Galena & Chicago	76
Cumberland	15¾	Va. 6's	[illegible]
California 7's, 1870	76¾	Tenn. 6's	[illegible]
Lacrosse & Mil	11¾	Reading bonds	79¾
Mich Cent'l S. F.	[illegible]	Mich. Central	[illegible]

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

Marine Disasters and Losses of Life and Property on the Lakes for 1857.

From a statement of Lake Disasters during the year 1857—carefully compiled by Capt. D. P. Dobbins, Secretary of the Board of Underwriters, from authentic sources, and published in the Buffalo Express, we take the following:

RECAPITULATION.

Total loss of property in 1856	$3,128,744
" " " 1857	1,387,925
Decrease	$1,739,819
Loss on Hulls by Steam in 1857	[illegible]
" Cargoes " "	[illegible]
Total loss by Steam	$478,143
Loss on Hulls by Sail in 1857	[illegible]
" Cargoes	[illegible]
Total loss by Sail	$909,790
Am't Steam Tonnage totally lost in 1857, tons	4,761
" Sail " " " "	10,668
Total tonnage lost 1857	15,429
Total loss of Life in 1857	[illegible]
" " " 1856	407
Increase	[illegible]
Total Tonnage of Lakes in fall of 1857	[illegible]
Total value Lake Vessels in fall of 1857	[illegible]

The schooner A. P. Dutton left the port of Racine for St. Joseph, on Monday. The schooner Josephine Lawrence Capt. Olsen, which left for Manitowoc with a cargo of provisions, arrived with a cargo of lumber at Milwaukee, Thursday. The schooner Wollin has arrived at Racine with a cargo of wood from Green Bay. The Cleveland Herald of 28th inst., says:—"The schooner Sea Gull, whose intended departure we noted a few days since, arrived at Dearborn Friday. She was loaded with coal, met with no ice on her way, and had a pleasant passage."

The schooner Mt. Vernon leaves Chicago with a cargo of provisions for Kalamazoo, across the Lake to-day.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Highly Important from Washington—Marshalling Forces.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The Lecompton Constitution is expected to-morrow or next day. The President will send it at once to Congress, with a special message. The Democratic members of Congress generally will act firmly with the Administration and make for that question a test of party authority.

A caucus of Democrats, supposed to be opposed to the Lecompton Constitution, held a meeting last evening for the purpose of comparing votes. They expect to muster 18 votes in all.

The Republicans have completed their organization and arranged the programme to defeat the Lecompton Constitution; Mr. Blair, of Mo., and Mr. Grow, of Pa., are to do the heavy work.

The President to-day sent to the Senate the name of [illegible] as Marshal for the Northern District of New York, [illegible]; also Mr. [illegible] as Naval Officer for New York, vice Mr. Brodhead.

Lieut. Crocker, in command of the Arato Surveying Expedition, writes to the Department from Camp Toncey, on the Truando river, under date of 5th inst., stating that he had arrived at a point within 55 miles of the Pacific, and expected to reach the ocean by the middle of this month.

He was engaged in discharging his provisions from bungoes, and had sent to Carthagena for new supplies. He complained that the axes furnished by the Bureau of Construction have proved so poor as to considerably delay the party in cutting their way through the forests.

The Secretary of the Treasury in response to the resolution of Senator Wilson, has communicated to the Senate a statement showing the amounts of revenue collected during the six years to June last. The total amount is three hundred and fifty-five millions five hundred thousand dollars, and the expense of collection was twenty-one millions seven hundred and fifty-two thousand dollars.

Gov. Wise has postponed for the present, his contemplated letter on Kansas for the perusal of which much anxiety is manifested.

Mr. Douglas in vain tried in the Senate to-day, to have the bill for the admission of Minnesota considered.

XXXVth Congress—First Session.

HOUSE—JAN. 29.

Mr. Howard called attention to the fact that the bill providing for the deficiency in the appropriation for the printing, now before the Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union, had not been discussed, but the debate was devoted to general subjects. He offered resolutions for extending debate on the bill till to-morrow, and confining speeches strictly to the subject.

Mr. John Cochrane objected, for the simple reason that it was now too late to insist on such a course, the Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union having distinctly refused to enforce the rule.

Further proceedings on this subject were terminated, by the House going into Committee of the Whole on the Printing Deficiency bill.

Mr. Burnett said that the public printing had been charged as a source of corruption, through which the Treasury had been robbed. Also, that gentlemen who hold the office of Public Printer, had realized princely fortunes; and extensive combinations are formed through which the printing is controlled. He did not make these charges, nor did he know how far they were true. It had been advanced in favor of their election that they had given thousands of dollars, and freely opened their purses during the Presidential election. The printing had grown enormously for a few years past. For the thirty-second Congress it was nearly $950,000. Amongst other citations of extravagance, he said that $45,448 was spent for pictures of woodcock, squirrels, mice and other animals, to be worthlessly put into the Patent Office report. He was for stopping this draft on the treasury, by paying for all work completed and dispensing with that not yet performed. He moved to amend the bill by reducing the proposed appropriation of $790,000 to $420,000.

Mr. Letcher showed that the amount in the bill was to pay for liabilities incurred by the last two Congresses. He alluded to the fact of the publication of the report of Gillis' Astronomical Expedition costing $115,000, and that of the Pacific Survey nearly $833,000 and Emery's Report $347,000. He hoped that in some way a stop would soon be put to this system of printing. The publication of these and other reports amounted to nothing more than that the government was to be the publisher. Some of these books were utterly worthless. He appealed to the Committee to take some means to put an end to such shameful extravagance in the future. Their constituents should not be taxed for such unjust and wasteful purposes.

Mr. Phelps explained that the bill is to provide for the payment of the amount due under contract made by the House. Those contracts should be met, and Congress should not undertake to repudiate them, and the present Congress should be held responsible for its expenditures for printing, and should govern its future course by its expenditures of the past.

Mr. Crawford was willing to pay for work already done to the amount of $375,000 and no more.

Mr. Nichols thought that it was proper that the House should manifest its sense as to what should be done relative to printing, but he was opposed to the suggestion of the gentleman from Georgia.

After further debate the Committee rose, without coming to a conclusion upon the subject, and the House then adjourned till Monday.

Later from New Mexico and Utah.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—The Santa Fe mail has just arrived. The news is unimportant. The annuity goods have been distributed to the Pueblo Indians. Col. St. Vrain, editor of the *Gazette*, had been elected public printer for the Territory. Secretary Jackson had arrived. Gen. Garland had gone to El Paso. A public meeting was held at Santa Fe, at which resolutions were passed cordially thanking Secretary Floyd and Postmaster General Brown, for recent official action affecting the Territory. The Apache and other Indians are reported to have committed depredations.

The Platte *Argus*, of the 22d inst., announces the arrival, at Weston, of Mr. Davidson, with Utah advices to the 14th December. The troops are engaged in making themselves comfortable for the winter. The health of the army is good. No news had been received from Captain Marcy. Capt. Lee, of the 10th Infantry, placed in command of the volunteers, was drilling them. Mr. Davidson reports plenty of grass North and East of Laramie, and buffalo plenty and fat. He also met three army mail trains, taking salt from Fort Laramie to the camp.

Indiana Lynch Law Excitement.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 29.—An excited mob at Legonier, Noble county, Ind., arrested three counterfeiters on Tuesday, and deliberately hanged one. They were proceeding to serve the second in the same manner, when it was agreed by a majority of six votes of the people present to let the law take its course.

The third, guilty of making bogus coin, was delivered into the hands of the U.S. Marshal, and brought to this city to-day, and underwent a preliminary examination before a U. S. Commissioner. He was committed to jail in default of $2,000 bail.

The northern counties of Indiana and southern counties of Michigan, have long been infested with counterfeiters and thieves. The people have determined to drive them from their midst.

Meeting of the Board of Managers of the Bible Society.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—There was a long and exciting discussion at the meeting of the Board of Managers of the Bible Society last evening. After the rejection of the minority reports. The report of the majority committee of 9, who were appointed to consider the revised edition of the Bible, was adopted. It refers the present standard of the English Bible of the Society to the Committee on Versions for revision, to conform to the previous editions printed by the Society, or the authorized British editions.

Arrest of a Mail Robber.

MOUNT GILEAD, OHIO, Jan. 29.—Charles Albaugh was arrested last evening by Mr. Prentiss, of the P. O. Department, for robbing the mail, and has been held to bail to appear in the U. S. District Court. The evidence is said to be conclusive.

Ohio River Disaster.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 29.—The steamer Fanny Fern was owned by W. W. Martin, of Pittsburg, and was valued at $12,000—insured in three Pittsburg offices for $9,000.

The following are known to have been lost: Capt. Benjamin Woodward, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, Penn.; Wm. Wilson, an Englishman; James Anderson, Xenia, O.; James Maley, Michael Donohue, Jas. Kavanagh, Thos. Walker, Robt. Riddle, Pittsburg; widow lady and child, unknown; Hannah Thornes, chambermaid, Alleghany City.

SCALDED.—A. J. Rogers, Pittsburg, severely; Harry Dram, Pittsburg, slightly; And. J. Kirkpatrick, slightly; John Flynn, Wm. Paul, John W. Kerr, Henry W. Casey, severely. Several others were more or less scalded or burned.

Things in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Senor Molina, Minister of Costa Rica, has been officially advised of the late treaty between that government and Nicaragua, and as it settles, to a certain extent, the business for which Escalante was specially despatched to Washington, he will soon return to Costa Rica.

A private letter from a high functionary of Nicaragua, received at Washington, states that the feeling now existing between the Nicaraguans and Costa Ricans is of the most friendly character.

$[illegible] of treasury notes were to-day paid to mail contractors.

Mutiny by Coolies—50 Killed.

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—A letter received from Capt. Ryan, of ship Lacon from Hong Kong for Callao, dated Anjier, November 22d, states that the ship Kate Hooker, of Baltimore, Capt. Jackson, from Macao October 15th for Havana, with coolies, while waiting for men from Batavia on the 22d November, the coolies mutined and got possession of the between decks and set the ship on fire three times, and before they could be subdued the officers had to shoot 50 of them. The master was confined to his bed by sickness at the time.

Election of Attorney General.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 29th.—Jerome B. Kimball was to-day elected Attorney General by the General Assembly, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Chas. Hart.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The annual awarding of premiums by the Cosmopolitan Art Association has been postponed from the 28th of January to the 25th of March next. The subscription books remain open till that date.

HALIFAX, Jan. 29.—The steamship America was detained by the N.E. gale and the thick snow, but arrived here from Boston at noon, and sailed again for Liverpool at 2 o'clock.

To-Day's Advertisem'ts.

FOR CLERK OF RECORDER'S COURT.—A. D. STURTEVANT is a candidate for Clerk of the Recorder's Court, subject to the decision of the Republican Convention. ja30-2t*

WANTED.—A LADY WISHES TO MEET with some person who will do all her correspondence, for which a liberal compensation will be given. A line addressed to "W. W., Post Office," will meet with attention. ja30-1t*

BOARD WANTED—IN A PRIVATE family, for a man and his wife, within five minutes' walk of Clark street Bridge; or two unfurnished rooms, without board. Address, with terms, "B. B. B., Tribune Office, Chicago." ja30-2t*

111 WABASH AVENUE.—BOARD AND pleasant rooms (suits or single) can be had at 111 Wabash Avenue. Also day board. ja30-1w*

OFFICE FOR AMERICAN AND FOREIGN PATENTS.—J. P. Pirsson, No. 5 Wall street, New York. A pamphlet of full information, sent free by mail. ja30-3m-99

MILL SITE—LUMBER MERCHANTS.—For sale, early in the Spring, a desirable site in the county of Manistee, Michigan, having an unlimited amount of Pine timber surrounding it.
By order of the Court.
ja30-1m* WILLIAM J. THORP, Judge of Probate.

THE UNDERSIGNED, JOHN T. O'BANNON and Francis L. Honore, comprising the firm of O'Bannon & Honore, have sold their stock of Hardware and Cutlery to Winchester Hall and Benjamin L. Honore, and discontinued the firm of Hall & Honore to their customers.
Chicago, Jan. 29, 1858. JOHN T. O'BANNON, FRANCIS L. HONORE. ja30-3t 125

NEW MUSIC AND PIANO.—"THE ELEMENTS OF MUSIC," and other new Music, is to be had at 134 Lake street and 161 Indiana street for sale. Also a very good PIANO, and the Alexander Organ, for sale at 161 Indiana street, by M. PERABO, Teacher of Music. ja30-3t*

FOR SALE—ON THE TENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock A. M., there will be sold at auction, on the premises, the two story Frame Dwelling House situate on the south-west corner of Pine and Michigan streets. The house is to be sold without the land, and must be moved from the premises immediately after the sale. Terms cash. For further particulars inquire of CHAS. A. GREGORY, Office No. 110 Dearborn street. ja30-10t*

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WHITE LIES. By Charles Reade. Complete in one vol 12mo, cloth. $1.25
AMERICAN ALMANAC FOR 1858. Price $1.
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For sale by CARNES & WILSON, General Booksellers and Stationers, 134 Lake st., Chicago, Ill. ja30

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss. { CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY.
COOK COUNTY, }
Office of Master in Chancery, Chicago, January 29, 1858.
William A. Ingles vs. James S. Lyon, Rufus P. Burlingame and James R. Adair.—Foreclosure of Mortgage.
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, L. C. Paine Freer, Master in Chancery of Cook county, Illinois, will, in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1858, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the north door of the Court House in the city of Chicago, on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1858, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, all the following described parcel of real estate, situate in the county of Cook and State of Illinois, known and designated as all of the south half of Lots five (5) and six (6), in Block eighteen (18), in Kinzie's Addition to Chicago.
Chicago, January 29th, 1858.
ja30-td 198 L. C. PAINE FREER, Master in Chancery Cook County.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.
WHEREAS ISAAC SHELBY, JR., DID, on the thirtieth day of May, execute and deliver to me, the undersigned, a certain Deed of Trust, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note made by the said Isaac Shelby, Jr., bearing date the day and year aforesaid for the sum of nine thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight 50-100 dollars, payable to William Dudley Dillard, and due on the second day of January, A. D. 1858 for value received, which said deed of trust was filed for record in the Recorder's office of Cook county, in the State of Illinois, on the [illegible] day of May, A. D. 1857, and duly recorded in said office in Book 158 of Deeds, page 290; and default having been made in the payment of the said note, and the said William Dudley Dillard, the legal holder of the said note, having applied to me, the undersigned, to sell the land and premises in said Deed of Trust mentioned and described. Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power and authority in said deed of trust contained, I shall, on the third day of March, A. D. 1858, at the hour of ten o'clock on the forenoon of that day, at the south door of the Court House in the city of Chicago, in the county of Cook and State of Illinois, sell the premises in the said Deed of Trust mentioned and described, situate in the city of Chicago, county of Cook and State of Illinois, to wit: The west [illegible] of Lots three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6) and seven (7), of Block [illegible] ... subdivision of Block thirty (30) of Carpenter's Addition, and all right and equity of redemption of the said Isaac Shelby, Jr., his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns therein, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash.
D. P. BLACKBURN, Trustee.
Chicago, Jan. 28, 1858.—ja29-td-199

New Flour Mills.
THE NEW HYDRAULIC FLOUR MILLS are now manufacturing FLOUR OF SUPERIOR QUALITY, expressly for the city trade. The brands are—
"MITCHELL'S DOUBLE EXTRA," made from No. 1 White Wheat, and guaranteed to be superior to any other Flour in the city.
"HYDRAULIC MILLS CHOICE EXTRA," made from No. 1 Red Wheat; and
"HYDRAULIC MILLS EXTRA FAMILY FLOUR," made from Canada Club Wheat.
Either of the above brands of Flour will be found for sale at—
J. B. Doggett's, cor. Clark & Water sts.;
C. D. Peirce, No. 29 ... cor. Van Buren;
... & Co., ... Twelfth sts.;
... North Clark st;
... Water street; and at
The Mill, Clinton st., between Lake & Fulton streets, West Division.
ja29-3m-149 R. M. MITCHELL.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of J. S. Wright & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All claims will be paid and all demands collected by John R. Palmer.
Chicago, Oct. 1st, 1857. JOHN S. WRIGHT, JOHN R. PALMER, AUGUSTUS W. SEAMANS.
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SODA ASH! A LARGE STOCK JUST RECEIVED and for sale low by the cask or ton. SAWYER, PAIGE & CO., Wholesale Druggists, 70 Lake st. ja25

TERRA JAPONICA.—BY THE TON, FOR sale by SAWYER, PAIGE & CO., Wholesale Druggists, 70 Lake street. ja25

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McVICKER'S
New Chicago Theatre,
MADISON ST., BETWEEN STATE & DEARBORN.
PROPRIETOR AND MANAGER.........J. H. McVICKER.
ASSISTANT MANAGER.........F. HARRINGTON.
THREE EXCELLENT PIECES!
Drama, Comedy and Farce.
SATURDAY EVENING.........Jan. 30, 1858
Will be presented the sterling Drama of
THE MIDNIGHT WATCH.
Pierre Delarouche.........Mr Hanchett
Pauline.........Miss Rich
Overture.........By the Orchestra
To be followed by
CAPTAIN CHARLOTTE.
Count Ballafleur.........Mr Bradley
Capt Charlotte.........Jessie Macfarland
To conclude with the inimitable Protean Farce of
IN AND OUT OF PLACE.
In which Jessie Macfarland will personate six characters and introduce three Dances.
☞ Monday—First appearance of the young American Tragedian,
MR. JAMES STARK.
Prices of Admission:
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NORTH'S
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LEVI J. NORTH.........Manager & Proprietor
W. NAYLOR.........Stage Manager.
Great Attraction!
SATURDAY EVENING.........Jan. 30, 1858
Will be performed the Moral Drama of
UNCLE TOM'S CABIN,—WITH HORSES.
On a Magnificent Scale.
Miss VICTORIA NORTH as the GENTLE EVA.
The Services of the Slaves—Life of Poor Uncle Tom—The Evils of the Slave System—Topsy, one who never was Born—Escape of Eliza on a Cake of Ice—Thrilling Scenes of the Slave Hunters, with Dogs and Horses—Death of Haley and his Horse—Realms of Bliss.
Mad. Franconi in her beautiful
SCENES IN THE CIRCLE.
Together with an unusually attractive Ring performance.
☞ In preparation a Drama of intense interest, portraying THE MOST PROMINENT FEATURES AND INCIDENTS OF THE Mutiny in India.
☞ Wetzler's Sacred Concerts will be given every Sunday evening.
PRICES REDUCED, to suit the times.—Dress Circle and Parquet, 25 cents; Family Circle, 15 cents; Orchestra and Arm Chairs, 50 cents; Lower Private Boxes, $3; Upper Private Boxes, $4.
Doors open at 6½. Curtain rises at 7¼.
N. B.—Improper characters not admitted. no23

First Anniversary Ball
—OF—
CHICAGO LIGHT ARTILLERY,
—AT—
THE LIGHT GUARD HALL,
February 16th, 1858.
COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.
Capt James Smith, Lieut Amos Grannis,
Lieut Ezra Taylor, Lieut Darius Knights,
Serg't A Davidson, J H Williams,
C W Barker.
COMMITTEE OF RECEPTION.
Orderly C P Bradley, I L Milliken,
John R Botsford, P A Hoyne,
A Coben.
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Orderly C P Bradley, John R Botsford,
I L Milliken.
CARRIAGE COMMITTEE.
Serg't A Davidson, J P Haley,
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FLOOR MANAGERS.
Lieut Ezra Taylor, J H Williams,
Serg't C P Bradley, C W Barker.
☞ Military are requested to appear in uniform.
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THIS SPACIOUS HALL (LATE BELL'S COMMERCIAL COLLEGE) corner of State and Randolph streets, is now to rent for Balls, Concerts, Lectures, Meetings, Drills, &c., with or without the Refreshment and Ante-rooms adjoining. Apply to SAMUEL S. PARKER, House and Lost Baggage Agent, at the Hall, or at 43 Michigan Avenue. ja19-1m-160

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CALVERT & McCLEANE
HAVE TAKEN THE OLD AUCTION stand, 16 Dearborn street, formerly occupied by J. A. Marshall, for the purpose of the sale of Furniture, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Paintings and Merchandise generally. Prompt attention given to Out-door Sales, Real Estate, Vessels, Cargoes, &c., and to the Leasing and Renting of Houses and Lots.
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and Real Estate Agents, No. 104 Lake street, between Clark and Dearborn, have large and commodious rooms for the sale of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Boots and Shoes, Furniture, and Merchandise of every description. Will also attend to Buying and Selling Real Estate.
Strict attention given to out-door sales, and advances made. mh9-1y

DAVID G. RUNNION. W. P. BOWMAN. LOUIS A. KELLEY.
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PARTICULAR ATTENTION GIVEN TO the sale of Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Furniture, Piano Fortes, and all kinds of merchandise.
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JOHN RANKIN,
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IMPORTER, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
Dealer in Crockery and Glassware, Britannia and Plated Ware, Cutlery, House Furnishing Goods, Cigars, Yankee Notions, Clocks, Watches, Gold Jewelry, etc.
181 RANDOLPH STREET, CHICAGO, ILL.
(Third Door East of the Briggs House.)
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MRS. THOMPSON, M.D.,
Homeopathic Physician and Obstetrician.
MRS. T., HAVING PRACTICED SUCCESSFULLY for a number of years in the East, now offers her professional services to the ladies in this city, and will attend day and night. Residence 145 Madison street.
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Dr. Foord's Celebrated Family Medicine,
WHICH HAVE BEEN SO HIGHLY applauded in all Eastern Towns and Cities, are now offered to the Chicago public. To-wit: his
PECTORAL SYRUP,
A never-failing remedy for the cure of Chronic Coughs, Colds, Consumption, and all other Diseases of the Lungs. Also his wonderful
TONIC CORDIAL,
A DEAD SHOT for Diarrhoea, Dysentery and Billious. And
UNIVERSAL PILL,
The safest and most effectual Cathartic ever used—strictly vegetable.
For sale, wholesale and retail, by M. Jerome, Agent, corner Clark and Adams sts.; Sargent & Ilsley, 128 Lake st.; Fahnestock & Davis, 109 Randolph st.; E. L. O'Hara, 29 West Randolph st.; L. Warlick, corner Clark and Kinzie sts.; and by Druggists generally.

Sawyer's Fluid Extract of Bark
AN INVALUABLE REMEDY FOR THE
FEVER AND AGUE,
And the Various Forms of
BILLIOUS DISEASES,
Intermittent; Remittent, Chill Fever and DUMB AGUE,
Having their origin in Malaria of very fertile or marshy districts.
PREPARED BY DR. S. SAWYER, AND sold by SAWYER, PAIGE & CO., Druggists and Chemists, 74 Lake street, Chicago.
This remedy is prepared entirely from vegetable substances and contains no mercury, arsenic, or anything that can prove injurious to the system. Its effects are those of a Restorative and tonic, well adapted to restore the healthy action of the bowels, and is generally to be relied on ...
Hundreds of testimonials in regard to the efficacy of the medicine from persons ... have been given to the proprietor ...
Price $1 per bottle; 6 bottles for $5 ... mr6-'56-1

Raising Business Blocks.
THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD ANNOUNCE that he is ready to make contracts for
RAISING BUSINESS BLOCKS TO GRADE,
and all other operations pertaining to the removal or raising of Buildings of all kinds ...
A long residence in this city, enables him to refer with confidence to many of our best citizens, for his ability and character ...
May be found at the office of J. A. Wright, Esq., No. ... street, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 4 P. M., daily.
JAMES HOLLINGSWORTH.
Chicago, Jan. 28th, 1858.—2w-196

DAILY TRIBUNE.

No. 51 CLARK STREET.

CITY OF CHICAGO.

Saturday Morning.....Jan. 30, 1858.

Douglas' Washington Organ.

It is stated by Washington letter writers that the *States* newspaper of that city edited by Major Hesse, is coming out for DOUGLAS. It has had several leading articles favoring DOUGLAS' view of the Lecompton Constitution. It takes the ground that the Free State vote of 12,000 against that swindle must be received as legal, and fairly connected with the determination of the pending question—the "election having been recognized by the President, through the letter of Gen. Cass to Acting Governor DENVER, and by Governor DENVER in his address to the people of Kansas, we are authorized to look at that vote in connection with the vote cast on the 21st ult., upon the features of the constitution."

It further states half the votes cast for the Lecompton Constitution with Slavery were fraudulent, remarking "we learn from a gentleman just from Kansas, who has been a steady and constant friend of the Lecompton constitution, that these allegations of fraudulent voting are true, and that at the three precincts or Oxford, in Johnson county, and Kickapoo and Delaware Crossing, in Leavenworth county, near 3,000 fraudulent votes were polled, or returned as having been polled, 'for the constitution with slavery.'"

The *States* then says that, in view of such facts it cannot recommend the admission of Kansas under the Lecompton Constitution. It is well understood that it is making this change of position in order to become DOUGLAS organ at the Capital.

Rachel, the Actress.

Rachel played thirty-seven times in the United States, and received therefor $150,000, which is over *four thousand dollars* per night! During the last eight or ten years her income was estimated at $80,000 per year. She lived in magnificent style; her rooms were sumptuously furnished. Her jewelry and stage wardrobe were valued at $125,000. She owned one set of diamonds worth $40,000. She studied hard, ate little; but drank much wine. Late hours shortened her life. She rarely retired before 3 or 4 in the morning. As Rachel grew rich, her love of money and jewels increased. In her last illness her fondness for these things did not desert her. She frequently had her jewels and rich garments brought to her bed, and beguiled the weary hours in looking them over, and on one occasion, after taking one long, lingering look at them, she exclaimed, with a sigh of heartfelt distress, *"Il faut donc quitter tout!"* ("Must I then abandon all?") Her death struggle was long and severe, and her last hours are described agonizing. She was thirty-seven years old when she died, although she only confessed to thirty-two years. Her public history is known. Her private life is yet unwritten. Scandal has been busy with her name. She was never married, though she was the mother of several children, by several fathers. In this country she would have been called a courtezan; but the standard of morals is different in France. There her dramatic genius, her fame, her wealth, protected her against the blasting scorch of public opinion, which she would have encountered had she belonged to this country and attempted to act so contrary to the rules of American society.

Ball of the British Minister.

Lord Napier gave a grand ball at Washington on the 25th inst., in honor of the marriage of the Princess Royal. The letter writers describe it as a magnificent affair. One of them says:

There were about four hundred guests. It was probably the most select and *recherche* entertainment that has been given in Washington for a long time past. An additional ball room was built for the occasion. Sixteen hundred cards from residents and visitors living in Washington for the time, and seventy-eight from strangers, had been left at or sent to the British legation, to obtain the honor of an invitation—such was the anxiety to be invited.

Another says:

The whole diplomatic corps in court costume were in attendance. A body of officers of the United States Army and Navy were also there, with Gen. Scott as their head, in full uniform. The British Consuls at New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and other places, attended, and many distinguished strangers, specially invited from distant cities. There was the richest display of female toilets yet seen in Washington, several of them having cost thousands of dollars.

Peoria Transcript.

We have received several numbers of the Peoria *Transcript* since it passed into new hands. It certainly exhibits a marked improvement in every respect. It is better printed; better arranged typographically; it publishes more news and better market reports, and has assumed a more decided tone in discussing the political topics of the day. The *Transcript* is certainly a valuable paper. It will make its mark down there in the heart of the corn country.

THE MCDONOUGH ESTATE.—Much has been lately said concerning this famous property, to the effect that it is rapidly dwindling away under the enormous expenses of litigation. The New Orleans *Picayune* explodes the story:

"Fears seem to be entertained in certain quarters that the vast legacy left by John McDonough to the cities of New Orleans and Baltimore and to charitable institutions will soon disappear altogether. The bequest to Penn of $100,000 and law charges and depreciation of property are, the public are led to believe, gobbling the one-third due to the whole estate. Now, no longer ago than last April, the administrators of this property, after a careful examination of its actual condition and having submitted their estimates to the best judges of the actual worth of property, in the city, officially reported that the estate of John McDonough was worth $1,460,000. Taking from this sum the bequest to Penn, and there is left the snug little sum of $1,360,000. The law charges and other expenses are more than met by income from the property.

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY IN KENTUCKY.—Mr. Van Cleve, a wealthy planter, living in Marion county, Ky., flogged his negro woman severely, when the husband of the woman (also owned by Van Cleve) became very angry and used insulting language to his master, whereupon his master ordered him to be tied up and whipped also, but while they were taking off his coat to tie him, he drew a butcher knife and killed Henry Van Cleve, the son, on the spot, and mortally wounded Daniel Thompson. The negro has been arrested and is now in jail. The officers had great difficulty in restraining the people from taking the negro and hanging him on the spot.

FOUL MURDER.—On Tuesday morning last the body of Augustus Edwards, a plasterer, who had been missing since December 13th, was found in the hydraulic basin, opposite the Starch Factory, in Ottawa. An inquest was held and the jury, after full investigation, came to the conclusion that the man had been murdered. The marks on his body indicated that he had been felled by a crushing blow with a hatchet or small axe, and having fallen on his face, was further hacked in the most ghastly manner. No clue to the murderer has been yet discovered.

THEODORE PARKER CASSETTER.—At a recent meeting of Spiritualists, in Dodworth's Hall, New York, a prominent professor of the faith opened by saying it was customary in religious assemblies to read a portion of divine truth, and that he would begin the exercises of the occasion by reading *a portion of divine truth according to Theodore Parker.* He accordingly read an extract from one of Mr. Parker's discourses.

DOUGLAS' MANSION.—The new DOUGLAS mansion in Washington, says the Boston *Post*, is palatial in dimensions, and is furnished in princely taste. The largest parlor (of which there are three) is nearly as large as the east room in the White House, and is adorned by a large and fine collection of pictures, many of them purchased by Mr. DOUGLAS while in Europe.

Had the Republican party been in possession of the government, and had it made these farcical and ridiculous, if they were not fatal, blunders, in connection with the subjugation of refractory and turbulent Utah, the opposition journals would never have ceased holding that party up to the just censures of the country. The detention of the army in Kansas, until the season for crossing the plains had nearly elapsed, ostensibly for the maintenance of law and order, but really for the enforcement of the bogus decrees of a felon Legislature, would have been a text upon which they would have attached comments written with whatever force and ingenuity they could command—comments, sarcastic, indignant, patriotic, expostulatory and pathetic, so often repeated and admirably put, that no Administration could have withstood their damaging effect upon the public mind. But Republicans take the criminal blundering as a matter of course; or rather, so much accustomed are they to obey the law, to do justice to others and to act from motives which include the greatest good to the greatest number, that they cannot conceive that there is a depth of political iniquity and partisan depravity like that into which Mr. BUCHANAN and his advisers have descended in the conduct of this Utah business. They have been willing to suppose that the President made an unfortunate mistake—that his intention was good though his act was bad. News from the army cooped up in narrow, uncomfortable and dirty quarters at Fort Bridger, with scanty supplies of food and fuel, exposed alike to destruction from the implacable fanaticism of the enemy and the extraordinary severity of the weather, without animals, with no prospect of reinforcement until the next Summer, with a sick list of ominous length, and the expectation of the loss of a third or a half or more of the entire force, before grass grows or water runs again for them,—such news has provoked inquiry, and astonishment sits on every face as the results are announced. It is now evident that the desire to impose upon the struggling Free State men of Kansas, by means of the musket and sabre, the rule of a handful of conspirators who are devoted to the spread and perpetuation of Slavery, was stronger than the sense of duty which pointed to the speedy and effectual punishment of the traitorous and fanatical crew in the valley of Salt Lake—that the troops which ought to have been employed in purging the modern Sodom of the beastly abominations which have it a stench in the nostrils of Christendom, were kept in attendance upon that Pro-Slavery gang who were engaged in accomplishing the enslavement of Kansas—that the alleged repeated treasons of Brigham and his followers, and their defiances of the courts and government, were of little moment compared to the support which which was demanded for the men who were repeating and exaggerating the murders, treasons and rebellions with which the Mormon Prophet and his people stand charged. It is evident that the choice to put down rebellion and punish the rebels in Utah, with his armed force, or to use that force for the support of usurpation and the defence of the usurpers in Kansas, depended upon the President's patriotism, and was within his discretion. There was no law that impeded his action in choosing the one or the other. He made the choice, and the country can see the results. The Lecompton Constitution, an instrument of infinite dishonor to the Democratic party, and, through it, to the Nation at large; the imprisonment of a gallant and impatient army for a whole winter in the gorges of the mountains; the increase, to an alarming degree, of the cost of our military establishments; the urgent call for an addition of seven thousand men to the regiments now organized; the encouragement of the Mormon rebels in their audacious resistance, and the laughter and ill-concealed sneers of all Europe, are consequences which the President's criminality has entailed. If these are the sacrifices and humiliations which the country has made and endured, that the Ruffians of Kansas might enjoy a temporary and barren triumph in the framing of their Constitution, who will compute the cost of imposing that instrument upon a brave and patriotic people, supported as they are by the moral sense and unanimous opinion of the North? This is a problem upon which, while the Utah army is imprisoned, the President and his arithmeticians may be profitably engaged.

A Visit to a German Club.

CHICAGO, JANUARY 29, 1858.

To the Editors of the Chicago Tribune:

SIR.—I accidentally visited on last Tuesday evening a German Republican Club holden every night at the house of Mr. Schilling, No. 184 Blue Island Avenue. I was so delighted with that society that I cannot forbear giving you some account of it, and recommending the widest extension of similar agencies. The poet has said—

"Oft there are tones and tones that don't
As bubbles, sounding from the heart,
As if the soul that minute caught
The treasure; thereupon life leaps through."

You think that quotation rather too poetical for the occasion. Not at all, sir; the spectacle presented in that club room, did "dart an instant sunshine through my heart," because it realized in perfect form my idea of what I have always conceived to be a powerful and prime instrumentality in disciplining the public mind, in communicating useful knowledge, in awakening interest, in rousing attention, in creating a healthy public sentiment—the product and cream of true ideas, in diffusing a happy influence, and promoting the Republican cause.

I found about thirty men all in the prime of life—honest, earnest, unsophisticated men; industry, manly virtue, intelligence and self-respect stamped on every countenance. I found these men, sir, met together for individual and mutual improvement, and to learn their duties as American citizens. In the war of opinion, in the clash and jostle of conflicting interests, in the lying pretensions and unscrupulous efforts put forth to mislead those interests, I found these men concerned, calmly to inquire what is truth? What is our proper attitude and course as men and as citizens!

The exercises that occupy the club are, English reading and writing, geography and the principal historical features of general questions chiefly bearing upon the politics of the day. These exercises together with the consulting of such newspapers, pamphlets and books in the Germish tongue as they could command fill up the time of the club with great pleasure and profit. The members have made a good start in the reading, writing and spelling of the English language and thereby they are opening for themselves the most abundant fountain of knowledge and improvement. Many of the members indeed are evidently men of cultivated mind and manners. Such are the exercises and objects and composition of this German Republican Club.

When the business of the evening were concluded the following questions were put and the annexed answers given:

Q. Who was the severest President of the United States?

A. General Jackson.

Q. May the severest executive officer be yet the best and most efficient officer?

A. Yes, if he is severely just. He cannot be good and efficient without severity, especially in newer and less consolidated communities.

Q. How do you describe the present political strife as respects the character of the parties?

A. It is a strife between the moral and the no moral.

Q. What kind of an an administration do we want for Chicago?

A. We want an administration that will protect the peace of the city, the morals of the city, the reputation of the city, and the purse of the city.

Q. Suppose one half the merchants of Chicago should steal their wares and establish a system of means whereby an abundant supply of stolen wares should be kept up, what, in that case, must become of the honest half of the merchants of Chicago?

A. They must sell at the thief's price or shut up shop.

Very good English, very excellent good English for Dutchmen, full yet laboring men, English, Bengalee, Dutch and French, learn that much English. Your labor is your capital, it is your stock in trade; it is the sole article which you can fetch into market. The more stolen labor there is in the market the less is your honest free labor worth. I say excellent English, admirable English, and the German club have learned it. There are three hundred thousand thieves in this country, licensed, legalized thieves, and they are thieves and depredators upon you the laborers and mechanics of the country; they steal the labor of three millions of men; think of the amount of stolen labor in the market of this country and every atom of it depreciating the value of your labor, so that when you bring your labor into market you must sell it at the thief's price or go idle. You, mechanics of the north and south, east and west, you want, you must, as a great trades union, you must protect you against this ruinous competition with stolen labor. Such a trades union, strong, efficient, just, permanent and universal, you can find in the Republican party, and, in that party alone! it wages eternal war against human chattelism, white and black. It wages eternal war in favor of human rights and free labor.

Q. What do you think of the Popular Sovereignty doctrine?

A. We think Popular Sovereignty a very good doctrine, if not absolutely applied; as we think a steam engine a very good thing if you do not compel us to save our nails or awaken our wives with it. We think Popular Sovereignty a very good thing if you will not put it to its full extent, and make the majority of local voters govern the minority. We think Popular Sovereignty a very good thing if you will not establish it in every private family and make the majority of voters govern in it. We think Popular Sovereignty a good thing, when it is not evoked from the land of shadows and used as a profligate pretext under which a profligate oligarchy may gorge their rapacious appetites and rob and starve us?

Q. What do you think of Senator Douglas' present attitude?

A. We think that instead of subduing the north the north has subdued him. We think that the Republican free soil sentiment has put a hook in his nose, and has made him obedient to the rein.

Q. But what do you think of his present anti-administration position?

A. It is not anti-administration, it is pro-Republican; it is a forced and unwilling submission to Republican sentiment.

Q. How much credit is due to Douglas in his present course?

A. None at all; if my enemy builds his house immediately adjoining mine, and thereby shelters, supports and adorns my house, I give him no credit for the favorable result to me—he must be in my enemy and hates me, and did not intend or wish any such result. Douglas is building his house, he accidentally supports and shelter our house, but we give him no credit because it was not in his motive and it was against his desire to do so.

Q. How do know that in building up his own ambition, Douglas has no desire to aid the cause of freedom?

A. Because hitherto we have always found him on the side of slavery and against freedom, and he cause further, even now he possesses no favor for freedom, but only for his own phanism of Popular Sovereignty.

Q. What do you think of the doctrine that the Constitution carries slavery with it, wherever it goes?

A.—We think that if the doctrine is true, the Constitution has a very dirty burden, a burden that ought to corrupt and crush it out of existence; but we do not believe the doctrine. We are most unwilling to believe that the American flag is the badge and symbol of slavery wherever it floats.

Q.—How do you mean?

A.—We mean that if it is true that the Constitution carries slavery wherever it goes, it is equally true that wherever the American pennant swings, it is the herald and symbol of slavery. And so ended our catechism.

Sir, I have sufficiently indicated the materials, and objects and exercises of the German Republican Club. I have no claims on the Chicago public; but this Club has great claims on the Republicans of Chicago. It claims inspection. It says, come and see us; and I am confident that the right will be an urgent recommendation to go and do likewise. It claims your countenance, and perhaps your pittance. Its spelling generously gives the use of his own library to the club. It ought to have a small library judiciously selected for its own use. Let there be similar clubs adapted in their constitution and conduct to the character of the communities in which they are erected, established in every ward in Chicago, in all the cities in the West, in every village, in every populous district. Let them be set up as centres of influence—rallying points of interest, light and power. They will insure solid, certain victory, instead of empty, hap-hazard advantage.—The victory that is won by a trick, may be lost by a trick; but, give us a well-laid, deep-rooted conviction, give us light, let us see the enemy, let us know the ground of quarrel, give use a stout public sentiment and we can all the more afford to despise tricks and traitors; that sentiment will fight our battles, the enemy will turn their backs and flee before it. Mr. Schilling is eminently qualified and adapted for carrying on this work among the German population of Chicago. He is a zealous, patient, bland, benevolent, and has the true spirit of a reformer. He deserves well for his labors in this field, and ought to be encouraged and supported. I know that such an agency is odious to the whole brood of demagogues. I speak of demagogues simply as such, and I repeat that demagogues are a deprecated and detested all such agencies. They want a community with no particular principles, with an well-defined, fixed ideas. Demagogues do not want to deal with fixtures—movables suit their purpose best; they want a community with nothing more than loose, floating, half-baked notions, a community, therefore, that can be led, and moved, and turned like an obedient herd. Set up a number of stubborn principles in a man's understanding; inform him with lucid, living, fixed ideas, he then sees with his own eyes, and snaps his fingers at the demagogue.

AN IRISHMAN.

LATER FROM KANSAS.

[Special Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.]

LAWRENCE, K. T., Jan. 22, 1858.

TOPEKA LEGISLATURE ADJOURNED.

This body adjourned last evening till the 10th of February next. A Joint Caucus of both branches was held, and, after animated discussion of the various policies and the difficulties that beset them, it was finally determined upon to take a recess until the above date. At that time it will be known what Congress has done with the Lecompton swindle and the Territorial Legislature will be through its business then, as it will only want two days of the close of their session. The laws they have passed will then be known, and should the State Legislature deem it necessary to pass a code of laws, they can adopt similar ones to those made by the Territorial Assembly.

Resolutions were adopted jointly in the Senate and House, setting forth, as reasons for adjourning, that the committees want time to prepare their work; that it is taken to avoid a collision with the Territorial Legislature, and that they may have time for the duty they feel called upon to perform. A codifying committee was appointed to prepare and draft a code of laws during the recess.

TERRITORIAL LEGISLATURE.

Over a hundred bills have been introduced into the two branches of this body, most of which are of a special character. It has been finally determined upon to take the Ohio Code as a basis upon which to frame the Statutes of Kansas.

The following bills of a local character, but of general interest, have passed:

An Act Legalizing the Lawrence City Charter, and confirming the action of the officers under it who were elected at the time of the Walker's raid upon the Lawrence scavengers and watering carts. This is considered quite a triumph, as G. W. Brown and other Walkerites lobbied against its adoption. The bill passed both bodies with but one dissenting voice.

Bills removing the county seat of Douglas County from Lecompton to Lawrence, and that of Leavenworth from Kickspoo to Leavenworth City, have passed and been approved.

Bills have also been introduced providing for a general incorporation law, for the organization of townships; also counties; also changing the county lines, reducing the size and changing the names. It is believed that the proposed alterations in this respect will give general satisfaction.

A general election and registration of voters law will also be introduced and passed.

CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.

The most important measure yet proposed, is the act calling a convention to frame a State Constitution. It passed the House to-day. It will be passed by the Council in substantially the same form. It provides that the convention shall consist of a hundred delegates. The election is to be held on the first Tuesday in March, and the convention is to assemble at Topeka on the third Tuesday in the same month. The bill is carefully framed as far as the mode of holding the election and the punishment of illegal voting is concerned. The Probate Courts have original and exclusive jurisdiction in all cases arising under this act. The judges of election are empowered to swear challenged voters and to order arrests for such offence, and the refusal of any sheriff or other officer to obey the order of the judge, shall work a forfeiture of their office. I cannot tell yet in what manner the apportionment is made, as it is not finally decided upon.

ELECTION RETURNS.

Since the date of my last dispatch, returns have been received from a number of precincts in the south and west, not previously heard from. They amount to nearly 2,000, making the total vote against the Lecompton Constitution over 12,000. No further developments in regard to the State election have occurred, and as at present known, the Free State men remain elected. Gen. Calhoun, however, made a speech at Westport a few evenings since, in which he told his Border Ruffian allies that they had elected the Marshall ticket by a small majority.

EXAMINATION OF HENDERSON.

The preliminary proceedings in the case of Henderson and the Delaware Crossing returns have been going on for several days past, before the Probate Judge, Miller. A strong presumptive case of fraud has been made out by the prosecution, which is conducted by Gen. Lane. Judge Morris Hunt is defending Henderson. Judge Miller will probably decide to detain Henderson until the next regular term of the Probate Court. Jack seems to take it pretty cool, and the fear he had of having to wear a hempen collar having somewhat subsided, he has resigned himself to his position with tolerable equanimity.

R. J. H.

International Bridge at Buffalo.

The company being about to organize to build a bridge across the river at Buffalo to connect with the Lake Huron, Canada Railway, the *Commercial* is discussing the advantages it will bring to the trade of that city.

It says in reference to that city and the points west, the following table of distances is believed to be accurate.

Distance from Buffalo to Toledo	207 miles.
" Toledo to Chicago	246
	453
Distance from Buffalo to Chicago	539
Distance from Buffalo to Detroit, via Buffalo and Lake Huron Railway	342
Distance from Detroit to Chicago	285
	627
From Buffalo to Chicago	539

Thus the Buffalo and Lake Huron Railway route will have an advantage over the Lake Shore road of 16 miles, a difference which would make it a strong competitor for Chicago travel.

Distance from Buffalo to Manhattan, Detroit via the Lake Shore Railway	538 miles.
From Buffalo via Manhattan, Detroit, to Chicago	285
	823
Distance by Southern Canada to Chicago	824

In event then of the construction of the Southern Canada Road, we should be 64 miles nearer Chicago, by way of the Bridge, than by way of the American Lake Shore route. We should also be only 286 miles from Toledo by this route, being a saving of 37 miles over that now pursued.—*Detroit Advertiser.*

Election of Champaign.

[Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.]

WEST URBANA, Champaign Co., Ill., Thursday, Jan. 28, 1858.

Messrs. Editors—Gentlemen:—It has rained half the time for a month; the country is half inundated; the corn crop is half rotten; produce of every kind is bringing half price; half the winter wheat crop is threatened with destruction; the weeks of winter are more than half over, though winter is less than half through; the weather is a mixture of half winter and half autumn; and half the County, and country too, are despondent. Here, certainly, is a state of things that calls for some instructive lesson and commentary. Faith, economy, and patience, are what is more than all, needed at the present time. Faith, that the present state of things is but temporary, economy, in order to carry ourselves through without burdening others, and patience, to endure with cheerfulness the trials consequent on the times. If any two men ever possessed these qualities in perfection, certainly Franklin and Socrates were those men. Of the former, it happens to be quite appropriate to speak at this time. On the 1st of January, 1758, Franklin issued, in the edition for that year of Poor Richard's Almanac, that famous address of his, which embodied, in a compact and condensed form, the substance of the wisdom he had, for nearly the quarter of a century, enriched the pages of that celebrated annual. At that period of the history of the colonies, times were hard indeed. The disastrous defeat of Braddock, in which Pennsylvania suffered so severely, had taken place eighteen months before; the Indians, urged on by the French, were ravaging the frontiers and filling the vallies of Virginia; war had been declared between France and England the May previous, and the successes which followed the return of Mr. Pitt to office, as Prime Minister of England, in June, 1757, had not been developed by time. Harassed by the French cruisers on the coast, and by the Indians in the remote settlements on land, and taxed to support the colonial, the home government, and the war then raging, our forefathers saw such hard times as we know nothing of except in history. It was under such circumstances that Franklin made the publication alluded to above. Read very heartily commented its precepts and doctrines as a rule of conduct in material concerns, particularly under the present state of affairs. I presume three-fourths of those who read the TRIBUNE, also read *Harper's Magazine*. Therein Thackeray is reproducing, in the "Virginians," the times and actions of Washington, Franklin and their cotemporaries, in a way and manner that shows him to deserve a share of their immortality. Were you to reprint the address, I have no doubt you would get the thanks of your readers for so doing.

Socrates, as a man, differed considerably from Franklin. He lived in Athens 400 years before Christ, and taught school. He owned a house and lot in that city. The house was a small one, but I am unable to say whether his was a corner lot or not. He was very frugal in dress, as well as in eating, drinking and other expenses. Ordinarily, he went barefooted and bareheaded, and were no shirt; a condition to which we, the farmers of Illinois, will be reduced, if wheat, and corn, and pork, and beef continue long at present prices. His sole garment was made of woolen cloth, and in shape much resembling a long night gown, without sleeves. He had one pair of sandals for holiday occasions, which lasted him all his life. His personal and real estate was valued at $85.50, and the income thereof at 12 per cent., the legal rate in Athens, would amount to $10,26 per annum. This would equal a fraction more than 3 cents 8 mills per day. But Socrates lived on barley meal entirely, and if the farmers of Attica did not realize greater prices for the article than those of Illinois at the present time, he had the means of purchasing nearly half a peck a day, and had a little left for procuring the favorite relishes of those times, garlic or asafœtida. By the way, there are many nice folks now-a-days who turn up their noses at the mention of an onion, but do they know that Homer never sets a table for his heroes, but the first thing brought on is a clove of garlic, which fastidious critics have translated onion—and it has been recently shown that the wine so liberally dispensed at those ancient feasts, was nothing more nor less than *molasses*; my own private opinion is, that it was *boiled cider*. So much for Socrates and his times. He was one of the wisest men that lived, and he lived under a government much resembling our own. Can we not at this time draw some useful lessons from the frugal habits of his life?

Have you observed that the *North American Review*, having entered on the forty-fifth year of its existence, has abandoned its wonted defence of Paper Money and a Tariff, and comes out flat-footed for Free Trade and a Specie Currency? Why do you fear to do so, say, oh! TRIBUNE of the people? The farmers will go with you to a man. They are not the dull set of fellows some are inclined to take them to be. You will find that in five, perhaps ten, years, farmers will have the political control of the State in their hands. They are not insensible that they can produce 100 pounds of beef, pork, wheat or corn, at less cost than any competitor; and inasmuch as the prices of agricultural productions are governed by the amount of labor required to produce them, under the most unfavorable circumstances they feel secure in the perpetuity of their advantage. They see, too, that while a hard money currency might reduce the price of labor, it would not reduce that of beef and pork, corn and wheat, in the same proportion, because the price of the former is governed by the home, and that of the latter by the foreign, demand. That is, they now buy labor, implements, groceries, &c., &c., at the rag money standard at home, and sell their surplus on the hard money standard abroad. Don't you see the hole in the skimmer through which the juice of their labor leaks out, say, oh! TRIBUNE of the people, say?

Nothing doing here now, except building sidewalks—they are stretching all out over town. It is estimated that not less than two miles have been constructed, and if the mania continues there will be one laid to every hen's nest in town. The rot in the corn crop is as large as I previously reported to you; and the present winter wheat crop is in danger. It has made a start under the unusual influence of the month, and the weather to follow is likely to injure it. The Illinois Central Railroad has put up its rates of fare half a cent per mile, and pay off in the poorest kind of wild cat, mostly their own. More, one of these days, about land titles and land speculators, but no more at present from

Yours truly, SHEM OF CHAMPAIGN COUNTY.

Abolition of the Serf System in Russia.

DECREE ADDRESSED TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF THE DISTRICT OF ST. PETERSBURG.

The nobility of the district of St. Petersburg have expressed a desire to ameliorate the condition of the serfs or farm laborers, and to secure for them the means of existence. For this purpose they have expressed a desire that an exact definition should be made of their duties and obligations, and of the relation in which they stand with respect to the proprietors of lands held by the nobility and gentry.

Receiving, as I do, with satisfaction, every proof afforded by my nobility of their tendency to improve the condition of the peasants (or serfs), I hereby authorize the whole body of the nobility of the province of St. Petersburg to proceed to the arrangement of a system of rules, on such a basis as that these praiseworthy purposes may be put into execution, and such as may be in accordance with my own intentions and desires. Let it be provided, however, that the system to be arranged shall be made to operate in a gradual and progressive manner, so as not to work injuriously in respect to the interests of the land owners involved in the present system and organization.

In order, therefore, to carry into effect these objects, I ordain and command that from this day forth a special committee shall be established in the district of St. Petersburg, of which the Marshal of the Nobility of the District of St. Petersburg shall be the President. The said committee shall be composed of—First, of two members, to be elected in each section by the nobles of the district, and from among such of their order as possess landed estates in the district; secondly, the said committee shall be composed of two other members, chosen from among the best informed and most highly cultivated landholders of each section of the district, who are to be nominated by your excellency.

Immediately after the establishment of this committee, the members thereof shall proceed to the business of preparing a district system or rules for the regulation, amelioration and improvement of the life and condition of the serfs of the Province of St. Petersburg. The said committee shall pursue, as the guide and basis of their action, the following principles:

Principle 1. The landowner is to retain his right of property over the whole of his lands; but the serfs shall have the right of property over their own enclosures by purchasing the same in for simple, the payment for the said property to be made by the serfs at different intervals, to be hereafter determined. They shall also have the right of enjoying such a sufficient quantity of land as may be necessary, according to the local condition of affairs, to enable them to earn a decent subsistence and contribute to the payment of all taxes or duties which may be due to the State or to the land owners. In payment for the privilege of enjoying so much land, the serfs shall be bound either to pay a certain rent to the land owner or else to contribute so much labor as will be adequate to a money payment for the rent of the same.

Principle 2. The serfs are to be divided out into distinct rural communes or townships, the police and government of which said rural owners.

Principle 3. The future relationship between the serf and the land owner shall be regulated in such a manner as to secure to the State and to the province the regular payment of the several taxes and dues payable by the serfs.

Carrying out of the above principles, and the applications of them so as to be suitable to the various circumstances and local condition of things in the whole of this district, is left entirely to the discretion of the committee. The Minister of the Interior will communicate his views to your Excellency on this matter, and the committee to be appointed as aforesaid may take into consideration his views on the subject in the course of their deliberations.

In committing to you the general charge of overseeing and directing this important work in the district of St. Petersburgh, I empower and authorize you to give such instruction to the committee as may be necessary to secure the regular proceeding and to conduce to the successful issue of the work committed to them.

Whenever the said committee shall have completed and drawn up the plan and system to be prepared by them, your Excellency will be required to present the same to the Minister of the Interior, who will submit it to me for my sanction. With the general plan, your Excellency will also submit all such special exceptions or private regulations which you may have deemed it necessary to establish for the various and different localities of the district or province of St. Petersburg. You will at the same time accompany these with your own private observations on the same.

In presenting this to the nobility of the province of St. Petersburg, as a means and method of regulating and securing the condition and well being of the serfs or peasants, in conformity with the principles I have here laid down, I am persuaded that the nobility will do full justice to my confidence in them, of which I have here given proof by calling upon them to take a share in this great and important work. It is my earnest hope that with God's help and with the enlightened assistance of the landed gentry, this work will be crowned with full and complete success.

You will exert yourself to watch and take care that the peasants (or serfs) remain obedient and submissive to the land owners, and that they lend no ear nor give any faith to the malevolent insinuations and false reports which may be made in consequence of this matter.

ALEXANDER.

ST. PETERSBURG, the 5th (17th) Dec., 1857.

The Indiana Contested Seats.

[S. Y. Times' Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.

A majority of the Senate Committee on the Judiciary have evidently determined upon keeping Messrs. Bright and Fitch in their seats in the Senate, in defiance of the Constitution and the law. Their votes for Lecompton cannot be spared, and so they are to be sustained, by hook or by crook, at least until they shall have contributed their votes to the consummation of that outrageous fraud. The excuse that is made to sustain another; thus one gross outrage under the forms of law, is, through deliberate calculation, sustained by another in defiance of even those forms. In view of the unanimous vote of Southern Senators in the contested election case of Mr. Harlan, of Iowa, a few months ago, the Judiciary Committee see clearly that it would be quite unsafe to trust the action of Messrs. Bright and Fitch to the vote of the Senate. Indeed, it is doubtful whether five votes could be obtained in favor of permitting them to retain their seats, if the direct question were to be made.

Under these circumstances the Committee on the Judiciary have submitted a resolution authorizing the parties interested in the case to take testimony. The resolution is very vague and general in its terms. It states none of the points upon which testimony is desirable, and fixes no time within which it shall be taken. The sitting Senators may cause testimony to be taken in regard to an hundred points having no bearing upon the case, and they may put off the time of taking it until after Congress shall adjourn. In the meantime they continue to act as Senators, deciding the most important questions by their votes—and ready, at this very hour—if afforded the opportunity—to fasten upon the people of Kansas a State Constitution which they have repudiated by an overwhelming majority! Is this right? The whole proceedings by which Messrs. Bright and Fitch claim to be Senators, was a stupendous, unblushing fraud, sustained for a single day only by partizan power, and an outrage of every principle of law, honor and justice.

The Administration and the South on the Kansas Question.

[Correspondence of the N. Y. Times.]

WASHINGTON, Monday, Jan. 26, 1858.

While the President and his Northern friends in Congress stagger and shiver at sight of the Kansas load which they have been attempting to carry, the South stands with bold and united front, demanding the immediate admission of Kansas with the Lecompton Constitution. There is not the slightest probability of any backing down from this last quarter. With Southern the game is a desperate one. You see that their last chance for a new slave State north of Texas is before them, and they are determined to make its attainment a test of party fealty. Mr. Buchanan has not, *prima facie*, the least disposition to desert them, if he can only see a reasonable chance of carrying the Lecompton scheme through by exertion of the power which he has husbanded for precisely this occasion.

But there's the rub. A few weeks ago success seemed as easy as "sliding off a log." Now that public sentiment in the Free States has had time to make its voice heard here, Norththera representatives in Congress begin to flinch significantly. As I telegraphed you to-night, there are six New York Democrats who were counted down good for Lecompton, who have not yet been able to make up their mind to commit political suicide. The same is true of gentlemen from Pennsylvania, Illinois and Indiana—until it begins to be exceedingly doubtful whether many men from the Free States can be induced to sustain the Lecompton swindle whose price is not so clearly stamped upon his back that it and his vote will illustrate cause and effect to all who choose to read. What the President can do in such a case, nobody can predict with safety, although it is generally understood that he is preparing for some step.

Hole-in-the-Day Shot in a Duel.

The St. Paul *Pioneer* gives the particulars, as reported, of the death of the above named celebrated Chippeway Indian Chief, in a duel at Crow Wing, on the 12th inst. He was killed by a Mr. Giggy. The day previous, the chief having drank too much whisky, got quarrelsome, met Mr. Giggy, revived, an old quarrel, and was struck by Mr. G. a blow on the face. Whereupon the chief sent a challenge for a duel; it was accepted. Colt's revolvers were selected as weapons; distance forty feet. The duel took place according to agreement and three shots and one fired by each party. At the first fire both were wounded, Mr. Giggy receiving the ball in the right side. At the second fire Giggy was wounded in the left side. It was with difficulty that he could stand up for the third fire, but Hole-in-the Day refused to be pacified, and at the third fire the latter fell, shot through the heart.

A MEETING OF THE CATS, WILD AND TAME.—The meeting that was held at Market Hall, a week ago last evening, to take into consideration the currency question, was a most unique affair. We went there, supposing that some theory would be demonstrated by which the wildcats could be snared, trapped, or treed and caught, but in this were disappointed. We were not present at the opening, and that part of the proceedings we cannot report. When we got there the "Kilkenny Cats" were engaged in one of the most hideous caterwaulings that we ever witnessed. The meeting appeared to be performing the old farce, entitled "human nature brutalized," and judging from the skill and promptness with which each actor performed his part, there must have been some good rehearsals under excellent tutors.

There were several attempts to restore order by crying "poor pussy," but the more the cats were patted and stroked, the more they bristled and snarled. Lest they might be all used up in the old Kilkenny style, the gas was shut off, and the caterwauling temporarily ceased, the lights, however, were soon restored, when the second and last scene in the farce was played out—after which actors and audience retired under the full belief that a cat is a cat, and that she can't be transformed into a dog anyhow.—*Iowa City Republican.*

AN UNPARALLELED HONOR.—A mark of respect was shown yesterday to the memory of General Havelock, which was worth more than a peerage. The flags of the shipping in our harbor, and on our public buildings, were displayed at half-mast during the day, as a token of grief for his loss. It was a purely voluntary tribute paid to his memory by a people to whom he was a stranger, who were in no way interested in his career, and to whom even his name was unknown six months since. It was a tribute of respect which even the Duke of Wellington did not command, and which we believe was never before paid to a foreigner. But "one touch of nature makes the whole world kin," and the bravery and manliness of this true hero have touched the hearts of the people of this country, who have watched his career with eager solicitude since the stirring events of the East Indian revolt have rendered his name as familiar here as it is in his own country, and the intelligence of his death has produced as deep a feeling of regret as though he had been a countryman of our own.—*N. Y. Times.*

....The Bank of Belleville is going to wind up. Judge Snyder has appointed Wm. Kempff, of Belleville, receiver, to sell its effects and wind up the concern.

Announcements.

CLERK OF RECORDER'S COURT.—The undersigned respectfully announces that he is a candidate for re-election to Clerk of the Recorder's Court, and solicits the votes of his fellow-citizens.

ja15-td-3d2 P. A. BOYNE.

FOR CLERK OF THE RECORDER'S COURT.—At the solicitation of his friends, FRANK LUMBARD will be a candidate for Clerk of the Recorder's Court, subject to the decision of the Republican Convention. ja19-td-3d2

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Legal Notices.

MASTER'S SALE.
Cook County Court of Common Pleas, In Chancery.
OFFICE OF MASTER IN CHANCERY.
Edwin R. Tuttle vs. Luther L. Mills, Walter N. Mills, Matthew Laflin, Solomon A. Smith and Royal A. B. Mills.—Foreclosure.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause, and upon the cross bill filed therein, on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1857, I, L. C. Paine Freer, Master in Chancery of Cook county, State of Illinois, will, on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1858, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the north door of the Court House in the city of Chicago, sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at public vendue, Lot No. twenty-one (21), in Block No. eight (8), in Fort Dearborn Addition to Chicago; also Block No. twelve (12), in the School Section Addition to Chicago—all in the county of Cook and State of Illinois.
L. C. PAINE FREER, Master in Chancery Cook County.
Chicago, Jan. 25, 1858.—de24d:253

CHANCERY NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS—COOK COUNTY—ss.
Circuit Court of Cook County, March Term, A.D. 1858.
Oramel S. Hough vs. Charles J. Kershaw, Charles J. Cusack and Horace D. Hawkins.—In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT OF THE NON-RESIDENCE of Charles J. Cusack and Horace D. Hawkins, defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Cook County, notice is hereby given to the said Charles J. Cusack and Horace D. Hawkins, that Oramel S. Hough, complainant, filed his bill of complaint in said Court, on the Chancery side thereof, on the 25th day of January, 1858, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendants, returnable on the first Monday of March next, 1858, as is by law required.
Now unless you, the said Charles J. Cusack and Horace D. Hawkins, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court of Cook County on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at Chicago, in said county, on the first Monday of March next, 1858, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.
WILLIAM L. CHURCH, Clerk.
C. B. HOSMER, Compl'ts Sol'r.—ja26-4w:75

CHANCERY NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS—COUNTY OF COOK—ss.
Circuit Court of Cook County, March Term, 1858.
Andrew Miller vs. Margaret Miller.—In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT OF THE NON-RESIDENCE of Margaret Miller, defendant above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Cook County, notice is hereby given to the said Margaret Miller that Andrew Miller, the complainant, filed his bill of complaint in said Court, on the Chancery side thereof on the 20th day of January 1858, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendant, returnable on the first Monday of March next, 1858, as is by law required.
Now, unless you, the said Margaret Miller, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court of Cook County, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at Chicago, in said county, on the first Monday of March, 1858, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.
WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.
ISAAC CLAFLIN, Com'pl'ts Sol'r. ja21-4w:55

PUBLICATION NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY.—ss.
Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, A.D. 1858.
Peter J. Winjo vs. Ole Peterson.—Attachment.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said Ole Peterson, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the 12th day of January, A. D. 1858, at the suit of the said Peter J. Winjo, and against the estate of the said Ole Petersen, for the sum of one hundred and ... 75-100 dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook County, which said writ has been returned executed.
Now, therefore, unless you, the said Ole Peterson, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on or before the first day of the next Term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the City of Chicago, on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1858, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you, and in favor of the said Peter J. Winjo, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same.
WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.
A. LARSEN, Pl'ffs Att'y.—ja16-4w:25

PUBLICATION NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY.—ss.
Cook County Circuit Court, January Special Term, A. D. 1858.
Augustus C. Shelton and Byron Tuttle vs. John O. Butler.—Attachment.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said John O. Butler, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the 31st day of December, A. D. 1857, at the suit of the said Augustus C. Shelton and Byron Tuttle, and against the estate of the said John O. Butler, for the sum of three hundred and seventy-four dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook County, which said writ has been returned executed.
Now, therefore, unless you, the said John O. Butler, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Chicago, on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1858, give special bail and plead to the said plaintiffs' action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said Augustus C. Shelton and Byron Tuttle, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.
WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.
BENTLEY & SEATON, Pl'ffs Att'ys.—ja16-4w:26

PUBLICATION NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County.—ss.
Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, A. D. 1858.
Artemus Carter vs. Frank Valli and John Chappell.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said Frank Valli and John Chappell, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the 10th day of December, A. D. 1857, at the suit of the said Artemus Carter, and against the estate of the said Frank Valli and John Chappell, for the sum of five hundred dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook county, which said writ has been returned executed.
Now, therefore, unless you, the said Frank Valli and John Chappell, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Chicago, on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1858, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said Artemus Carter, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.
WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.
ARNOLD, LARNED & LAY, Pl'ffs Att'ys. ja13-4w:38

MASTER'S SALE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County.—ss.
Cook County Court of Common Pleas, In Chancery.
John N. Staples vs. Henry B. Owen.—Bill to Foreclose Mortgage.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause, on the 8th day of January, A.D 1858, I, L. C. Paine Freer, Master in Chancery, of Cook county, State of Illinois, will sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the north door of the Court House in the city of Chicago, on the third day of February, A.D. 1858, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described parcels of real estate in the city of Chicago, County and State aforesaid (or so much of said real estate as may be necessary to make the money and interest actually due to said complainant, and the costs to be taxed) to wit: Lots numbered one (1) and four (4) in Block fifteen (15), in the Canal Trustees' Subdivision of the east fraction of the south-east quarter of Section twenty-one (21), Township thirty nine (39) north of Range fourteen, east of the Third Principal Meridian.
L. C. PAINE FREER, Master in Chancery, Cook County, &c.
Chicago, January 12th, 1858.—ja13-td:38

PUBLICATION NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY.—ss.
COOK COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT, March Term, A. D. 1858.
Joseph T. Ryerson vs. Dubuque & Pacific Railroad Company.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said Dubuque & Pacific Railroad Company, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the 28th day of November, A. D. 1857, at the suit of the said Joseph T. Ryerson, and against the estate of the said Dubuque & Pacific Railroad Company, for the sum of one thousand ninety-eight 61-100 dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook county, which said writ has been returned executed.
Now, therefore, unless you, the said Dubuque & Pacific Railroad Company, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court on or before the first day of the next Term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Chicago on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1858, give special bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you, and in favor of the said Joseph T. Ryerson, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.
WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.
ARNOLD, LARNED & LAY, Pl'ffs Att'ys.—ja15-4w:121

PUBLICATION NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY.—ss.
Cook County Court of Common Pleas, January Term, A.D., 1858.
William F. Dutcher, Robert Stickney and Chauncey Stickney, vs. Elisha Mix and William F. Morgan.—Attachment.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the said Elisha Mix and William F. Morgan, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of Cook County Court of Common Pleas, dated the 14th day of December, A.D. 1857, at the suit of the said William F. Dutcher, Robert Stickney and Chauncey Stickney, against the estate of the said Elisha Mix and William F. Morgan, for the sum of one thousand dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook County, which said writ has been returned executed.
Now, therefore, unless you, the said Elisha Mix and William F. Morgan, shall personally be and appear before said Cook County Court of Common Pleas, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the City of Chicago, on the first Monday of February, A. D. 1858, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiffs' action, judgment will be entered against you, and in favor of the said William F. Dutcher, Robert Stickney and Chauncey Stickney, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same.
WALTER KIMBALL, Clerk.
CORNELL WAITE & JAMESON, Pl'ffs Att'y. jal5-4w:15

MASTER'S SALE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County.—ss.
COOK COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT. In Chancery.
OFFICE OF MASTER IN CHANCERY.
George A. Prince and Thomas Stephenson, vs Nicholas P. Iglehart, Frances M. Iglehart, Franklin Hathaway, Elisha J. Hundley, Abijah W. Pitcher, Joseph L. Jenness, William F. Myrick and James H. Woodworth.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, L. C. Paine Freer, Master in Chancery of Cook County, state of Illinois, will, in pursuance of a decretal order of the Cook County Circuit Court, in Chancery sitting entered in the above entitled cause, on the nineteenth day of January, A. D. 1858, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at public auction, to the highest bidder, sell all the following described parcel of land, situate in Cook county in the State of Illinois, and described as follows, to wit: The north thirty (30) acres of the west half of the south-east quarter of section seventeen (17), in Township forty (40), north of Range fourteen (14), east of the Third Principal Meridian.
L. C. PAINE FREER, Master in Chancery Cook County, &c.
Chicago, Dec. 18, 1857. de19-td:173

PUBLICATION NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS—Cook County—ss.
Cook County Court of Common Pleas, January Term, A.D. 1858.
Marcellus B. Smith, John K. Pollard and A. Judson Smith vs. Jeremiah M. Russell.—Attachment.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said Jeremiah M. Russell, that two writs of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of Cook County Court of Common Pleas, dated the 15th day of December, A. D. 1857, at the suit of the said Marcellus B. Smith, John K. Pollard and A. Judson Smith, against the estate of the said Jeremiah M. Russell, for the sum of three hundred and twenty-eight dollars and five cents, directed to the Sheriff of Cook and Ogle Counties, which said writs have been returned executed.
Now therefore unless you, the said Jeremiah M. Russell, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Court of Common Pleas, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the City of Chicago, on the first Monday of February, A.D. 1858, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiffs' action, judgment will be entered against you, and in favor of the said Marcellus B. Smith, John K. Pollard and A. Judson Smith and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same.
WALTER KIMBALL, Clerk.
GARY & HITCHCOCK, Pl'ffs Att'ys. ja18-4w:96

Master's Sale.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County—ss.
Circuit Court of Cook County, In Chancery.
Conrad Hoffmeyer, by Penry Rosenberg, his guardian, vs. Wilhelmina E. Ahlvers, Henry W. Ahlvers, Henry F. Ahlvers, Frederick Ahlvers, Ferdinand Langenbeck, and Hannah Langenbeck.—For Partition.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause, I, L. C. Paine Freer, Master in Chancery of Cook County, State of Illinois, will on the thirteenth day of February, A. D. 1858, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the north door of the Court House, in the city of Chicago, sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, the north-east quarter of the north-east quarter of section thirty-one (31), and the north-west quarter of the north-west quarter of section thirty-two (32), in Township forty (40), north of Range twelve (12), east of the Third Principal Meridian, in the county of Cook, and State of Illinois. Terms of sale, will be one-fourth cash on the day of sale, and the remaining three-fourths in three equal annual installments, payable in one, two and three years from the day of sale, with interest at six per cent. per annum, payable annually, deferred installments to be secured by notes and mortgage on the premises sold.
L. C. PAINE FREER, Master in Chancery, Cook County, Ill.
Chicago, January 8, 1858.—ja9-td:...

Legal Notices.

PUBLICATION NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County.—ss.
Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, A. D. 1858.
Frederick Olsen vs. Ole Peterson.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said Ole Peterson, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the 14th day of January, A. D. 1858, at the suit of the said Frederick Olsen, against the estate of the said Ole Peterson, for the sum of one hundred and seventy-one 57-100 dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook county, which said writ has been returned executed.
Now, therefore, unless you, the said Ole Petersen, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on or before the first day of the term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Chicago on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1858, give special bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said Frederick Olsen, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same.
WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.
A. LARSEN, Pl'ffs Att'y.—jy18-4w:231

MORTGAGE SALE.
WHEREAS AUGUSTINE CHESTER AND Mariette N., his wife did, on the first day of November, A. D. 1857, make, execute and deliver to George F. Rumsey a mortgage of the premises hereinafter described, to secure the payment of two certain promissory notes of even date with said mortgage, payable to the order of the said George F. Rumsey, as follows: ($6,720) six thousand seven hundred and twenty dollars on the first day of November, A. D. 1857, and ($6,360) six thousand three hundred and sixty dollars on the first day of November, A. D. 1858, which said mortgage is recorded in the Recorder's office in and for Cook county, State of Illinois, in Book 28 of mortgages, page 183;
And whereas it is provided in and by said mortgage, that if default be made in the payment of the said notes above described, or either of them, or any part thereof, according to their tenor and effects, the said George F. Rumsey, or his legal representatives or attorney, after having advertised such sale (60) sixty days in a newspaper published in the city of Chicago, might sell the said premises in said mortgage referred to and hereinafter described, or any part thereof, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House in the city of Chicago, at the time appointed in such advertisement, or might adjourn the sale from time to time at discretion;
And whereas default has been made in the payment of the first of said promissory notes above mentioned, due November 1st, A. D. 1857, for the said sum of six thousand seven hundred and twenty dollars ($6,720).
Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, at the request of the legal holder of the said first note, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by said mortgage above referred to, will on Monday, the first day of February next, A. D. 1858, at 10 o'clock A. M., sell at public vendue, at the north door of the Court House in the city of Chicago, county of Cook and State of Illinois, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described premises (being the same premises described in said mortgage) to wit: Lots (7) seven and (8) eight, and the south (29) twenty-nine feet of Lots (9) nine and (10) ten, in block (24) twenty four, in Wolcott's Addition to Chicago, situated in the county of Cook and State of Illinois, for the purposes in said mortgage described.
Chicago, December 1st, 1857. GEO. F. RUMSEY, Mortgagee.
de1-60d:278

TRUSTEE'S SALE.
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, default having been made in the payment of a certain promissory note made by Edward Martin and Daniel Elston & Co., secured (among others) in and by a certain Deed of Trust, made and executed by Edward Martin and wife, dated August eleventh, A. D. 1855, to the undersigned, Grant Goodrich, recorded in the Recorder's office of Cook county, in the State of Illinois, in Book ninety-seven of Deeds, at page two hundred and fifty-nine, to secure said note in said Deed of Trust (among others) mentioned, I shall (proper application having been made to me) on the 9th day of February, A. D. 1858, at the north door of the Court House in Cook county, Illinois, at ten o'clock A. M., sell at public auction, for cash, the following described premises, mentioned in said Deed of Trust, to satisfy said note: Lot 2, in the subdivision of the west half of north-west quarter Section 28, Township 40, north of Range 14, east of Third Principal Meridian, containing 15 acres, more or less, situate in said county of Cook, and State of Illinois, together with all right and equity of redemption of the said Edward Martin therein, in pursuance of the power of sale contained in said Deed of Trust.
GRANT GOODRICH, Trustee.
Dated January 18th, 1858.—ja19-20d:39

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9:00 A. M. DAY EXPRESS, stopping only for wood and water; making all connections—Arrives at Beloit 2.30 P. M.; Janesville, 2.30 P. M.; Madison 4.20 P. M., and Prairie du Chien, 9.15 P. M.—connecting with steamers direct for La Crosse, Winona, Wabashaw, Redwing, Hastings, Prescott, Hudson, Stillwater and all points to St. Paul and St. Anthony.
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MAIN LINE.
FOR FREEPORT, GALENA, DUNLEITH & ST. PAUL.
Passenger & Mail..........10.30 A M
Passenger..........7.15 P. M.
CHICAGO, FULTON AND IOWA LINE.
FOR DIXON, FULTON AND CENTRAL IOWA.
Through Passenger..........10.15 A. M.
DeKalb and Elgin Passenger..........4.00 P. M.
BELOIT AND MADISON BRANCH.
FOR BELOIT, JANESVILLE AND MADISON.
Passenger..........9.45 A. M.
Passenger..........7.15 P. M.
FOX RIVER VALLEY RAIL ROAD.
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DeKalb at 6.00 A. M........10.00 A. M.
BELOIT AND MADISON BRANCH.
Leave Footville, 9.40 A. M., arrive in Chicago..........4.00 P. M.
9.00 P. M..........4.00 A. M.
FOX RIVER VALLEY RAILROAD.
Leave Elgin at 1.35 P. M. Arrive in Chicago..........4.00 P. M.
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